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GENERATION HAS A RENDEZVOUS WITH DESTINY,"-Roosevelt

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Democracy Must Be Prepared To



PRINCE KONOYE

FASCISM

COMES TO

JAPAN

LONDON, Jan. 4.

under

THE EVENING

PAPERS make a feature of

the resignation of the

such headings as: "Fascism

Defeats Japanese Premier,"

and resisted the worst demands

of the extreme militarists,

especially after the fall of Han-

Japanese Cabinet

no editorial comment.

kow.

Konoye to resign,

popular in Japan.

will succeed him.

stamp Assembly.

Japanese people in this fight.

Ministry to last long.

Observers do not expect the new

Chinese opinion, expressed to

of a popular revolt in Japan."---

WASHINGTON, JAN. 4. RESIDENT FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT TO-DAY ADDRESSED THE 76TH UNITED STATES CONGRESS ON THE STATE OF THE

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NATION. He referred to previous occasions when he advised Congress of disturbance abroad and the

need of putting their own house in order. "I face storm signals from across the seas," he said. "A further warning is necessary at the opening of this 76th Congress. A war which threatened to envelop the world in flames has been averted, but it has become

increasingly clear that peace is not assured. "The storms from abroad directly challenge the three institutions which now, as always, are indispensable to Americans. The first is religion, which is the source of

the other two-democracy and international good faith. "In modern civilisation all three complement to each other. Where the freedom of religion is attacked, the attack has come from sources opposed to democracy.

"Where democracy has been overthrown, the spirit of free worship has disappeared. And where religion and democracy have vanished, good faith in international affairs has given way to strident ambition and brute force.

"The ordering of a society which relegates religion, democracy and good faith between the nations to the background, can find no place within it for the ideals of the Prince of Perce. The United States rejects such ordering, and retains its ancient

THERE COMES A TIME

"There comes a time in the affairs of men when they must prepare to defend, not only their homes, but the tenets of faith and humanity upon which their churches, governments, and their very civilisation is founded.

"The defence of religion, democracy and good faith between nations is all the same fight. To one, we must now make up our minds to save all.

but as yet there has been "We know what might happen to us of the United States if the new philosophies of force were to encompass other con-Japanese circles in London tinents, and invade our own. We, no more than any other much regret Prince Konoye's nation, cannot afford to be surrounded by enemies of our faith resignation, saying that on the and our humanity. whole he held the balance fairly,

"We propose to do our share of protecting, from the storms from any quarter, this hemisphere, and the ideal of democratic government, and peoples functioning together in mutual respect for peace.

"This does not imply that the United States republics dis-Disappointment in the complete associate themselves from the nations in other continents. fallure of his peace offer to Chira, does not mean that the republics of America are against the rest to which he is believed to have pinned great hopes, was probably of the world. the last straw inducing Prince

"We stand on our historic offer to take counsel of all the other nations to the end that aggression between them may be Baron Hironuma, who is ex- terminated, and the race in armaments cease, and commerce pected to succeed Prince Konoye, is described as an ultra nationalist renewed."

of the most extreme type, un-The President proceeded to say that if any government, Mr. Ikeda's disappearance is much bristling with the implements regretted, as he is generally regarded of war, insists on the policies of as a most able Finance Minister, and of war, insists on the policies of anxiety is felt in London as to who power, weapons of defence would

give the only safety. He declared that the God-fearing It is predicted that the two great Japanese political parties, the democracles of the world cannot for Selyukui and Minselto, will fight evermore let pass, without effective violently, as they did in the autumn protest, acts of aggression against of 1936 and the spring of 1937, tically undermine all of us. sister nations-acts which automaagainst the Army chiefs' plans for

the formation of a new party on lesson that the probability of attack Fascist lines, which, in effect, was mightily decreased by the assurwould reduce the Diet to a rubber ance of an ever-ready defence. The President said that he would send a It is thought that the political special message to Congress in a few parties will have the support of the days recommending measures for adequate defence.

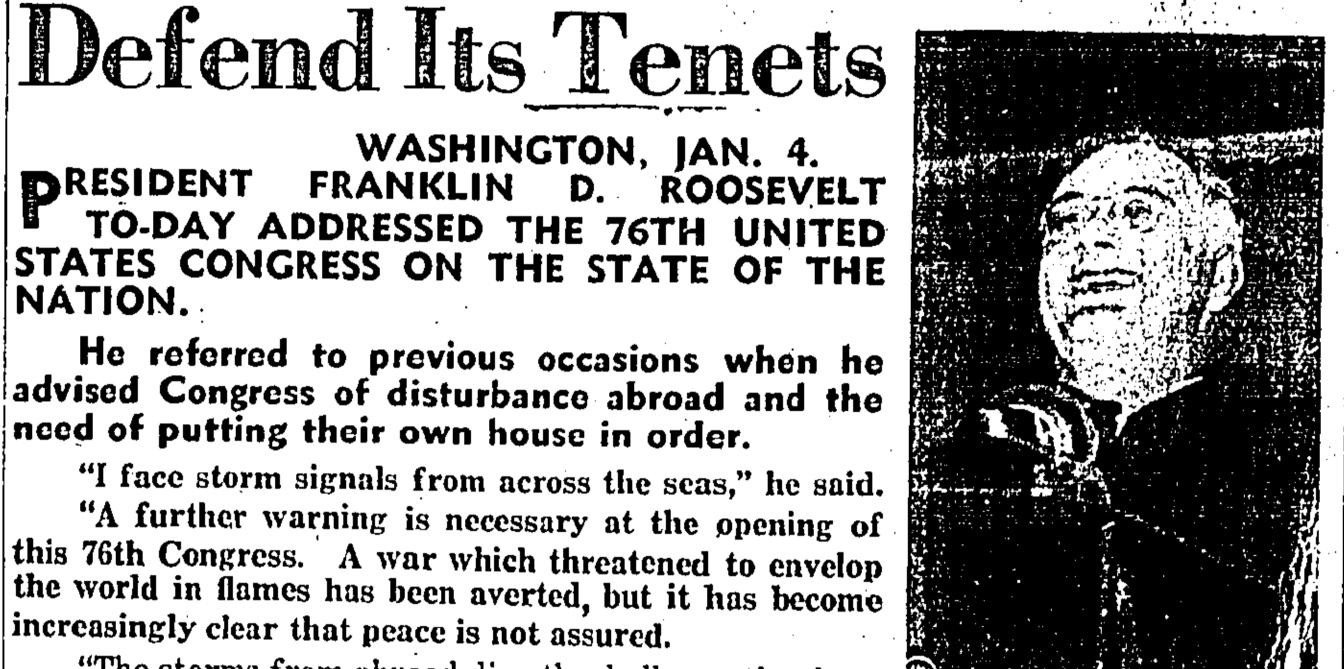
UNITED DEMOCRACY

his, because it will habten the chances "Never have there been six years of such far-flung preparedness in the history of the United States.

"All this has been done without any dictator's power of command, without the conscription of labour, the confiscation of capital, concentration camps, and without a scratch on the freedom of speech, the freedom of the press, or the rest of the Bill of Rights. "We are on a race to make democracy work so that we shall be efficient in peace, and secure in self-

"We can compete with the dictators in bringing idle men and idle capital together, and at the same time

production and consumption, said the President, it was illogical for the Government to consider a drastic curtailment of its own investments. At the bottom of their hearts, Japanese - sponsored Chinese pro-Continuing, President Roosevelt wanted Congress to do whatever was said: "If another form of government in against the national income of the Chinese National Government in the san one of the Chinese National Government in the san one one of the Chinese National Government in the san one of the Chinese National Government in the san one of the Chinese National Government in the san one of the Chinese National Government in the san one of the chinese National Government in the chinese Nationa



PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

3 BRITISH SHIPS BOMBED IN SPAIN

BARCELONA, Jan. 4. THREE BRITISH SHIPS in the Barcelona harbour were hit during an air raid this morning. They included the Stanwell, which was being repaired after being sunk

It suffered a direct hit, but is not believed to be seriously damaged. by splinters, and there were no tion from the racial laws, upon apcasualties.—Reuter Special.

in an air raid last month.

America Hands Note To Italy

日五十月一十

ROME, Jan. 4. IT IS OFFICIALLY announced that Mr. William Phillips, the United States Ambassador, handed to Signor Mussolini, in the presence of Count Ciano, a message concerning European and Jewish problems, and possible solutions of a general character.-Reuter.

OUTLINES U.S. ATTITUDE

ROME, Jun. 4. the American attitude to the world situation, in the light of his talks American ambassadors.

Contrary to reports, it is thought that he brought no special message again in the suburbs of Chicago for from President Roosevelt to Il Duce. one more year.

The United States is known to be unxious to see the course of events concerned about the Far Eastern

Mr. Phillips also discussed the position of American Jews in Italy, The other vessels were only struck | who at present are granted exempplication.—Reuter Special.

Mrs. Dolly Brown

PEOPLE mind their own business in Trinityroad, Tooting.

So no one took much notice of the new tenant of the basement flat at No. 103 when she arrived.

She said her name was Mrs. Dolly Brown, said she was married to a commercial traveller.

No one saw her receive any callers. Few people ever saw her leave the flat.

In the ground-floor flat at No. 103 Mrs. Brown's landlady, Mrs. Landes, conducted a servants' registry. But she never heard a sound from Mrs. Brown. The floor was sound-proof. None of the five other people in the house ever heard anything

Then telegrams began to arrive for Mrs. Dolly Brown. Mrs. Landes tried to deliver them, but the door of the flat was locked. So eventually they sent for the police.

The police broke open the door of Mrs. Brown's flat. They found her dead in bed.

In a cot beside her was her four months' old baby girl. She, too,

Doctors say that Mrs. Dolly Brown died five days ago, from natural They say that her baby died from starvation. She had cried for her mother but no one had heard. And the pillow of her cot was stained with tears long since dry.

'SCARFACE' CAPONE GAINS HIS FREEDOM

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.

SCARFACE AL CAPONE, America's No. 1 gangster, is to be freed on January 19 after nearly five years in Alcatraz, America's Devil's Island. For a few hours he will

he left Chicago City, which he ARMADA OF In the course of yesterday's visit see a nation changed since to Signor Mussolini, Mr. William he left Chicago City, which he Philips, American Ambassador to ruled with a gun, a nation that Rome, is believed to have outlined has given up the bootlegging that made him a fortune and has with President Roosevell and other hunted down gangsters of which he was the pattern.

.Then he will go back to prison

in prison, Capone's original elevendevelop peacefully, and is especially year sentence in 1931 for income ous description in 1989, accordviolation has been cut, but he must ing to the "Evening News," serve another year in a Chicago jail which adds that the increase for another offence.

> and he may never be because of his mental condition—he will (Continued on Page 4.)

LONDON, Jan. 4. THE BRITISH NAVY will be Because he has behaved himself increased by 100 vessels of variwill affect all types of ships, in-When Capone is finally released—cluding 10,000 ton cruisers.

On the other hand, still larger vessels under construction will not be completed until 1940. The paper states that the following

ships are now being built, apart from the blg 35,000 ton battleships: Five aircraft-carriers, of which two will be ready this year,

22 cruisers, of which three of 10,-000 tons each will be placed in service this year.

LATEST.



SAILORS FROM H.M.S. KENT marching through the streets yesterday to take part in the March Past at Happy Valley. The Commander-In-Chief, Sir Percy Noble, took the salute.—Kahn Photo.

remain within the bounds of what we consider civilisation." Puppets Attempt To Bus Driver "Service Weaken Currency

Peipling, Jan. 4.

Man"

Houston, Tex. Chinese opinion, expressed to said: "If another form of government of the Chinese National Government of the State of th

Nazis Behead A West Front Spy

Berlin, Jan. 4. The third execution by beheading the five 35,000 ton battleships now this year occurred this morning. C. (Bill) Fleet has made him a popu- when Rudolf Szeries of Leipzig was and the remaining, three in 1941.

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23 destroyers, of which 20 will be completed during 1939, 15 submarines, of which 13 will shortly be ready.

In addition to the above, three auxillary ships, four mine-layers, three patrol ships, one submarine depot ship, two river gunboats, and 34 smaller vessels will be put into service in 1939, while independently of the inval programme for 1039-40, seven new cruisers will be ready during the present year.

The paper further states that of being built, two will be ready in 1940,

Naval Officer Falls From Express Train

WITHAM (Essex).

NAVAL officer, Leiutenant H Guy Slater, aged thirty-one, whose wedding the following week was to have been a leading event of the London season, died recently in Chelmsford Hospital, after he had fallen from an express train.

A few hours before the accident he and his bride-to-be, Miss Patricia Adams, had called together at St. George's Church, Hanover-square, W., and had discussed with the vicar final through Throgmorton Street, E.C., arrangements for their wed- for five minutes. It raced out of the ding.

Four hundred guests had been in- Stock Exchange cat. vited. The reception was to have ranged.

SEEN IN MOONLIGHT

Then, Lieutenant Slater left London for Ipswich on an express of. train from Liverpool-street. As it mouse-but the cat did not. thundered past Witham at seventy miles an hour he was thrown out and lay unconscious, sprawled across the other rails.

It was bright moonlight. The driver of a goods train following the express saw the unconscious man on the ralls along which an up train was

The driver jammed on his brakes. Lieutenant Slater, his head severely was taken to Chelmsford Hospital.

While doctors there prepared to operate, telephone calls brought the dying man's flancee and mother hurrying to Chelmsford. For four hours surgeons fought to

save his life. For four hours mother and sweetheart waited together in a nearby hotel. His mother, now Mrs. Borton, had he was watching a picture.

Iravelled to Chelmsford with her husband, Air Vice-Marshal Borton, of Cheveney, Kent. In the late afternoon the two wo-

men were summoned to the hospital. The operation had been in vain. They stayed by his bed as the unconscious man died. Lieutenant Slater's father, Mr. S.

H. Slater, of Gulldford, Surrey, is a retired Indian Civil Servant. Just three weeks ago," he said. "I saw him off from this door. He was to be back here in four days.

"One thing I must do at once: must go up and see Pat Adams, who should have been his bride.'

depot H.M.S. Ganges, was due to comedian George Formby. start on leave. His flancee is the eldest daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Adams, of Bourton-on-the-Water, Glos. At his home in Palace Gate House, W., Air Vice-Marshal Borton, stepfather of Lieutenant Slater, said:-"My stepson came here to say good-bye to me and his mother yes-

in a hospital bed."

1. MOUSE RUNS UP **BROKER'S** LEG

Stock Exchange, followed, by the

The mouse ran for safety up the Continental honeymoon was arstanding outside in the street.

> A crowd made a ring round the broker while he took his trousers He eventually released the

2. MOUSE LEG

Mr. 1. V. Roseman, a lawyer, is suing a cinema at Cleveland, Ohio. for £50 damages because, he says, a mouse ran up his trouser-leg while

He declared he was scratched and bitten, was unable to sleep that night.

George Formby Is Upset

A few words spoken during a "Listeners' Requests", programme of gramophone records in the National Lieutenant Slater, attached to the programme recently have upset

> quests," said the announcer, "for Mr. General of Canada, to a group of George Formby's When I'm Cleaning enildren at Rentrew:— Windows.' But they are not yet clean enough for this programme. We will try to find one of his songs The King is coming, so I hope you

"We never thought that when famous songs. If the man in the The King and Queen are to visit next we saw him he would be dying B.B.C. studio didn't like it he need Canada and the United States next not have mentioned it at all."



HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

left, got her identification tag. Top left, some kept together,

Typical of the 18,000 Italian families that of the 19 ships that carried the emigrants across have left their native land to colonize Libya is the Mediterranean, to be greeted by Governor the Amadeo Maestri family, left centre, emigrat- Marshal Italo Balbo, right centre, on arrival at ing from their home in Pescara-di-Ferrara. An-Cirene. Top right, statue of Il Duce at Tripoli, nouncement that the government had chosen waving the Sword of Islam. Colonists found them caused much interest in the home court-homes and farms completely equipped, awaiting yard, lower right, while Mama Maestri, lower them. Families from same Italian towns are

Socks For The King!"

Renfrew (Ontario). "We have had a number of re- Said Lord Tweedsmulr, Governor-

"Children, I have a word for you. will all brush your hair and pull up Sald George Formby in London one night: "It is one of my most famous songs If the most famous so

"Pull Up Your COUNSEL SAYS THAT CHINESE EMBASSY REFUSED EVIDENCE

COMPLAINT that the Chinese Embassy had pleaded diplomatic privilege, and refused to give evidence in a case in connection with an alleged transaction concerning arms for China, was made by counsel at Bow-street recently.

Mr. G. Du Cann, who appeared for two of the three defendbe left unturned to bring somebody from the Embassy to speak about Mr. Chou Tin Shu, who had been mentioned in the case.

The three defendants, Frederick willing, aged 50, a Dutch subject and metal merchant, of Tavistock-court, Tavistock-square, agent, of Parklane, W., and James Oll Herbert Willing, aged 24, metal merchant, of Dorset House, were all committed to the foundation of a Lonely People's Club which the foundation of a Lonely People whi Willing, aged 50, a Dutch subject and

A short time ago the man, George McGowan, received by post from a man he had met in Paris a packet of cocaine, who suggested he should sell it and suggested h The three were charged with hav-

For more than a week McGowan tences and with attempting to obtain letters had passed between them.

California Bananas Grown

opinions of a number of librarians Thompson's indictment—copies in bananas. John Rose has successfully girl on the previous June and they whose evidence, while not immedia the lending library of one London experimented here with a tree that intended to get married, "This was the first time I have ately relevant to the complaints of borough have each been borrowed was 14 inches tall when he planted it played with him, but I saw that he is completely teachers, do more than 50 times in the past year 18 months ago, and is now 18 feet that Behan used his home as an office is a really good player. I think that at least conflict with any idea of a lie should very soon have a handleap general decline of public interest in to be in steady and constant has already borne two ripened dence. bunches of bananas.

ants, submitted at the close of the hearing that no stone should real than the close of the hearing than the close of the hearing than the close of the hearing than the hearing than the hearing than the hearing that the close of the hearing than the hearing than the hearing that the hearing than the hearing that the hearing than the h Club Chinese Embassy are going to shelter behind their diplomatic privileges in this way," he declared.

he founded, was ordered at All three defendants pleaded not Dublin Civil Court recently to

They were also charged with her, said that the couple began keepobtaining the £7,250 by false pre-"For some reason," said Mr. Fliz-

gerald, "Behan started a Lonely People's Club in Dublin and hoped DA1541 to make money out of it. "He subsequently ran excursions

and organised dances for 'misguided lonely people' in the city." In February of this year Behan

Possibilities of a new California handed Miss Gallagher a letter in

Miss Gallagher, in evidence, said

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3 months

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> Silvikrin Laboratories London, Paris, Brussels, Rotterdom, Vienna, Zürich

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MAREK WEBSTER'S ORCHESTRA. B8395 (Puszeta. (Forget it & Smile. (Klss. Scrennde.

BARNABUS VON GECZY'S ORCHESTRA. (Vienna, City of My Dreams. (A Song of Vienna. DA1651 (In Chambre Separce (Heuberger).

(The Wind has Told Me a Story.

(Ich Muss Wieder Einmal. (Benatzky). ELIZABETH SCHUMANN. (SOPRANO. B8771 (Waiata Pol. (Waltzing Matilda.

PETER DAWSON. BARITONE The Times to-day publishes the books mentioned in Sir D'Arcy fruit growing industry is that of which he stated he had met another DB1538- (Your Tiny Hand is Frozen. (La Boheme). (MI Par D'Uri Angora.

BENIAMINO GIGLI. TENOR. C1923- (Brahms Sonata. No. 3. 'D. Minor. 25. (Violin & Plano.

ISOLDE MENGES & HAROLD SAMUEL. DB3123- (Beethoven Moonlight Sonata. 24 (C Sharp Minor. Op. 27.

PADEREWSKI. PIANO. DB3012- (Bach Suite No. 1. C Major. ADOLF BUSCH CHAMBER PLAYERS: Directed by ADOLF, BUSCH.

C2938- (Peer Gynt Suite. (Morning, Death of Asc. (Anitra's Dance, 1, 1 (In the Halls of the Mountain King. LONDON PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA.

TSANG FOOK PIANO COMPANY. Marina House, 19 Queen's Road, C.

Cotton Praises the Duke's Golf

Ashridge (Herts). Henry Cotton, most famous golf professional in Britain, recently told the full story of the match in which he partnered the Duke of

He described the Duke's game as he talked enthusiastically in his home at Little Gaddesden, near here.

"We played Mr. Max Aitken and Percy Boomer on the St. Cloud (Paris) course," he said, "in a four-all foursome. Mr. Aitken has a handicap of one, and Boomer is one of the finest players in France. The Duke played off 0.

"At the first few holes we did not do so well. The Duke was unruffled, however, and drove steadi-

shots that he leses points. "We were three down at the turn. but the Duke's good driving counterforged ahead and won by one up. I went round in 69, and the Duke in

Cocaine "Burned Hole In His Pocket"

Windsor to beat two other crack DEFENDING, at Bow-street, London, W.C., recently, a twentynine-year-old hairdresser accused of possessing cocaine, Mr. R. E. Fearnley-Whittingstall said that it was a case of moral guilty and reserved their defence. pay £150 damages for breach of cowardice by a perfectly respectable man.

> Classics Read By Younger Generation

London. "He has a good swing, and near- A lively controversy has been At last he showed it to a man in ly every time he pitches well up the aroused in the Press by statements the West End, and was arrested fairway. It is on his approach by Sir D'Arcy Thompson, Professor almost at once. of natural history at St. Andrews, Magistrate Sir Rollo Grahamand Sir Charles Grant Robinson, Campbell bound McGowan over. Principal of Birmingham University, balanced his weak points, and at the suggesting that the younger genera-13th we were all square. Slowly we tion of students are unacquainted times. In the case

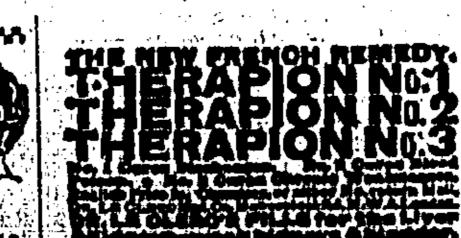
with the classics of English literature, "Gulliver's Travels"—one of the the literary masterpieces of other demand.

suggested he should sell it and agents, of £7,250. keep anything over £20.

a hole in his pocket."

wandered about miserably, wonder- £4,000 from M. Lamite by false GUIDE TO MISGUIDED ing what to do, the packet "burning pretences." For some reason," said

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'YARD' WANTS 50 MORE WOMEN SLEUTHS

When A Husband Is Not Wanted

AT the Salvation Army Mater-A nity Home at Clapton hus-bands are permitted to see their

A Salvation Army official said that there was no question of compulsion, but experience had shown that in many cases wives like to have their husbands with them.

In no circumstances were husbands allowed to be present at the actual

There is no evidence of this practice being followed at other maternity

homes for hospitals. A doctor at Queen Charlotte's Maternity Home said: "We are far too busy to bother with husbands, and we definitely ban the introduction of potentially septle people into theoretically unseptie wards because of the risk of infection.

"My experience is that the husband is the last person a woman wants to see at such times."





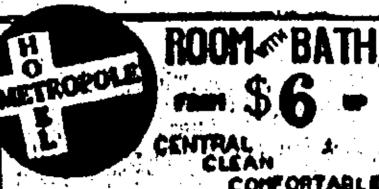
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Looking Like Typists

MITOMEN police have proved themselves a great success. So great that Scotland-Yard is going to increase by 50 the total of 100 now on the strength.

The general idea is that they do little more than look after neglected children, see that they are not bullied and beaten. In fact, it is thought that they play a comparatively small part in actual crime detection. This is not the case.

Bluebooks | She was slim, and she was good-looking. She looked just a well-paid typist. Peer Thrilled One of On

VISCOUNT SAMUEL stated in the House of Lords recently that the report of the Royal Commission on the Coal Industry was one of the best sellers ever published by the Government. It London's Dollcewomen are comsold more than 100,000 copies (at is. each).

Lord Addison said he had of-ten felt that if the Stationery Office would give reports of Royal Commissions a popular binding they would be as good sellers as Mr. H. G. Wells's books.

"They are just as full of romance, and there are many thril-lers," he added. "I have quite a good collection, some of which I have read several times." GOOD

BRITISH TRADE CHINA

the anxlicty and indignation aroused in this country over the reports that are being received daily ROMANCE. TOO of still further interference by the Japanese with legitimate British commercial interests in China,

Japanese or German ships and the will get a "detective allowance" of question of Japanese wharf ad- 7s. 6d. a week, and a constable will ministration at Tsingtao formed the get 5s. a week extra for that interestsubject-of further questions in the ing job. House of Commons recently as And there's romance in the work.

Mr. Moreing asked the Prime Minister what steps he has 17th November, the Japanese navat taken to remove the pressure which authorities, who control the harbour is being exercised by the Japanese at Tsingtao, have undertaken, if authorities in North China upon conditions permit, to arrange matters largely for their prosperity and de-Chinese firms to compel the latter to satisfactorily as soon as possible. velopment upon the good will and

Mr. Butter: The position is that a mented at an early date.
ban exists at Chefoo and other ports As regards the second ban exists at Chefoo and other ports. As regards the second part of the tion nothing whatever has since in Shantung on the export to South question, I understand that as a re- been done for the minor railway China of certain articles, not being suit of complaints of excessive companies, and the main line groups the property of third Power nationals. In one case, which has been brought to the notice of my Noble Friend, into the affairs of the Tsingtoo Lighter though the small lines are valuable of the first time in his shipment in a foreign vessel was per- and Transportation Company and feeders to them. mitted, although the goods were that some reorganisation has been apparently Chinese-owned, Representations have been made to the Thorn Japanese authorities in China and to British ships and the discrimination follows: in favour of a foreign vessel.

ment do when no satisfaction is achieved? Do they apologise?

Minister whether he is aware that the conveyance of goods in lighters between ship and wharf, which is enforced by the Japanese authorities and what action His Majesty's at Tsingtao, necessitates the exposure of the cargo to the full violence of the weather in this exposed port and renders the shipment of certain types Minister whether he has considered

representations have been made to relating to Japanese encroachment on

ment got any satisfaction in this of.

tained a satisfactory reply.

Minister whether he is aware that the Japanese army authorities and the wharf administration at Tsingtoo presence of the Emperor of Japan have no longer any objection to on 30th November; to what extent British ships berthing alonguide the wharf; and whether he will cause inquiries to be made into the question whether subordinate Japanese officials are making a large profit through the agency of the lighterage company out of lighterage charges which the Japanese naval mission at Tsingtao compel British shipowers to pay before they can land their

Friend the Member for Bury, on the on this important matter.

There are at least three women police who are rated first-class de-

She was talking to a man who, in the less respectable circles of London's West End, would be termed "a

London's policewomen are coming nearer to the novelists' idea of a woman sleuth than the novelists themselves realise.

And so good have they proved themselves that the "Yard" wants more of them; many more of them.

Are they tough? It is on record that in the last few days one of them went into a coloured men's club of bad reputation in Soho for a young woman who had thrown over parental control and was running

GOOD-LOOKERS WANTED

The "Yard" prefers that its policewomen be good looking, physically

at least 5ft. 4in. tall. They must have had a good education and possess pluck and endurance as well as the ability to

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You may get sore feet by pound-ing the beats, have your hands roughened by being out in the cold HERE has been no abatement in teeth about this little incident and

The pay—£2 10s, a week, rising to £4 a week as a constable, £4 10s. to £5 a week as a sergeant, £5 4s. The pressure exercised by Japan to £6 12s. a week as an inspector.

too-if romance you seek.

ship goods in Japanese or German His Majesty's Government expect assistance of the main line companies ships instead of in British ships? that this assurance will be imple- in whose districts they lie.

There are also a number of further

American Chambers of Commerce grouped companies." and national associations of eight. Many small lines, he adds, have ever knew was the farm. Mr. Moreing asked the Prime countries represented at Shanghal dinister whether he is aware that complaining that Japanese restrictions on foreign trade can no longer between ship and wharf, which is Government have taken in the mat-

of eargo impossible; and what action a communication received during the he is taking to protect British trade? Inst few days from the British Mr. Butler: Yes, Sir, and urgent Chamber of Commerce in Shanghal the Japanese Government that British ships should be allowed to berth in the communication; and what the commercial harbour.

Miss Wilkinson: Have the Government got any satisfaction in this of.

Telating to Japanese encroachment of the Japanese encroachment of the Japanese Government that British trade in China; what are the specific causes of complaint alleged in the communication; and what steps he is taking to provide a reduction of the grievances complained of the grievances of the grievances complained of the grievances complained of the grievances complained of the grievances complained of the grievances of the grievances complained of the grievances of the grievances complained of the grievances of the grievan

Sir John Wardlaw-Müne:-To nak the Prime Minister, whether his at- Weston, Clevedon & Romney, Hythe and Mr. Butler: We have not yet ob- tention has been drawn to the formal declaration of policy of the Japanese Fasingwold (Yorks) Blocksbridge, near Bir W. Smiles asked the Prime Government contending that the Talyllyn, North Nine-Power trenty is obsolete, upproved at a conference in the

> action the is taking. Sir John Wardiaw-Milne:-To ask the Prime Minister whether he has made representations to the Japanese Government on the fallure of the Foreign Minister, Mr. Arita, on assuming office, to give to foreign ambassadors the customary assurance that Japan will adhere to the open- l



Fears were reawakened for the life of Pope Plus, shown above with an aide, when he suffered a serious heart attack in his private apartment in Vatican City. Physicians administered oxygen to the 81-year-old Pontiff, after which he rallied. His life was despaired of almost exactly two years ago when he was ill from varicose veins.

BRITAIN'S RAILWAYS TO TAKE STRONGER

HUNDREDS of branch railway lines have been fit, between 24 and 35 years old, and absorbed by the four main line groups since the war, but there are still many little railways, some of them only a few miles long, worked independently by small public companies.

To protect their interests, just as the Railway Companies Association looks after the well-being of the Big Four, the Association of Minor Railway Companies is to be formed.

There are at least 25 of these independent public railways. The famous Festiniog Railway is known to Welsh holidaymakers and to film producers. It is 13%, miles long with a 1ft. 111/in. gauge, has six engines, two petrol locomotives, 52 carriages, 1,186 waggons and five mixed vehicles.

Some of these railways are almost Lilliputian. One of the smallest public lines is the Easingwold, in Yorkshire. Its present length is two and a half miles and it has one locomotive and two carriages.

Mr. S. J. Reading, general manager of the 15-mile-long Derwent Valley Light Railway, with head offices at Layerthorpe Station, York, says that "almost without exception they are now in a far worse position than the grouped com-

"In a White Paper issued by the Ministry of Transport," he writes "preliminary to the grouping arrangements being operative, it was stated: 'Light railways must rely velopment upon the good will and assistance of the main line companies in whom districts they lie.

"Beyond this feeble recommenda-

BOUND BY REGULATIONS

"Small rallways are bound by nothing but the prairie, some 200 questions on the Order Paper of the most of the regulations affecting rail- miles from Winnipeg, Canada. the Japanese Government both as re- House which are down for answer on ways, are forced to render their acgards interference with trade in Wednesday, December 7th, as counts in the same form as the large in favour of a foreign vessel.

Mr. Leach: If representations are nade in these cases, as in the case of nade in these cases, as in the case of nade in these cases, as in the case of nade in these cases, as in the case of nade in these cases, as in the case of nade in these cases, as in the case of nade in these cases, as in the case of nade in these cases, as in the case of nade in these cases, as in the case of nade in t made in these cases, as in the case of been drawn to a joint statement 'credit' side comes along we are emigrated with her husband from General Franco, what do the Govern- issued by the British, French and politely told it only applies to the Llangum, Wales. Stanley was then

> ceased to exist, but those still remaining claim to be fulfilling a he arrived at Winnipeg on this jourpublic demand and are entitled to ney back. consideration when matters of policy are decided on.

ing 25 independent public railways him when he first heard and saw would probably belong to the As- them on the ship. sociation. Many of them are light railways with the standard gauge and one or two are run on a minia- speak anything but Welsh, but luckily

Montgomeryshire Nottingham Colwick Snailbeach District Portishead Rye and Camber

South Shields, Mars-Rowrah and Kelion den & Whitburn Trafford Park church, in Kent,

Policemen To Be Linguists

Budapest. Policemen stationed at traffic cen- enter a Hollywood advertising door policy; and whether His tres here will be required to speak agency. Last March Miss Davis Mr. Butter: No. Sir, but as a result Majesty's Government have can several foreign languages with took a 13-year-old orphan into her of the representations to which I suited the Governments of the fluency. The new regulation is in- home as a protege. In September referred in my reply to my hon. United Blates of America and France tended to make visitors feel at home the Nelsons separated for what at and facilitate in general.

He Had Never

Seen:

A Radio

civilisation for the first time in his life-and finding it "like a miracle."

Since babyhood he has seen

Recently he reached Liverpool,

two years old. The only world he

He never saw a railway train until

He asked the stewards to tell him where all the food came from Mr. Reading said that the follow- The radio and the cinema startled

> Neither he nor his mother can one of their fellow travellers was a Welshman, who acted as interpreter.

One of the most popular miniature LILM actress Botte Davis ansuch policy is antagonistic to British lines is the 1st, 3in, gauge railway I nounced recently that her husinterests in the Far East; and what that runs from Romney to Dym- band, Harmon O. Nelson, "will apply for a divorce." They were married in 1932.

Hollywood gossip writers have recently filled many columns with reports of their incompatibility. Nelson, who is 31-a year older

than his wife—gave up his job as a band leader this year in order to

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FOR SALE.

TIN CAN MAIL COVERS. Letter enclosed in a watertight tin was put into the sea. For sale at Graca Co. 10, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

C. P. President's Peace Message

The following New Year message has been received from Sir Edward Beatty, Chairman and President, Canadian Pacific Railway, Mont-

"To all Officers and Employees: have brought home to us the community the Purchase price, of interests which exists in the World | the Purchase price, "In Canada we have been blessed in 1038 with good crops with normal

activity in our internal commerce and with freedom from all the bitternessus which disturb the life of many other "Yet intimately connected as is the economic life of this nation with conditions in other lands we have been un-

able to obtain the recovery of productive and commercial activities which might have been hoped. "We have learned that there can be no prosperity except when general peace

prevails. "I said a year ago that we must use caution in forecasting any important improvement in business conditions in 1938. The warning has been justified. "As we enter 1939 it is necessary to repent thin warning. Recovery of the business activities of this country will depend on peace abroad and wine avoldance of waste at home. "In such times as these, it is with genuine pleasure and pride that the management of this company can again record deep appreciation of the loyalty and efficiency with which the Companys

organization. Never were loyalty and efficiency more needed and nover have they been shown more fully. "Let us look back on 1938 with grati-· tude that we were spared great disasters and look forward to 1939 with courage and confidence. To you and all your families I should like to extend my warmest wishes for health and hap-

piness in the New Year."

of employees which serves this great

Soon To Wed

The forthcoming weddings are announced of the following: Mr. Kowleon; Mr. Ronald Robert Wilson from that date. Ashby, merchant, and Miss Dorcen Patricia Hughes, of "Courtland, Kennedy Road, Hongkong; and the Rev. Walter John Williams, chaplain, n.N., and Mrs. Olive Maude Jago (widow), of 48 Crouch Hall Road, London, N.8, who is en route to the Colony on the Hector,

The following forthcoming weddings are announced: Mr. Chiu Takfat, alias Chiu Thong-fuen, commission agent, and Miss Lo Wal-key, of 4 Pottinger Street, first floor; Mr. Lau Koon-kan, manager of Kelly Bros. Manufacturing Factory, and Miss Tse Yuk-lin, of 2 Boundary Street, Shamshuipo; Mr. Chan Cheung-ming, wireless operator, and Miss Ng Chau-wah, of 41 Queen's Road East, second floor; Mr. Ha Yatwah, medical officer at the Kwong Wah Hospital, and Miss Dora Holi, nurse and midwife, residing at 31 Gloucester Road, second floor; Mr. Ho Hung-pong, office assistant, and Miss Tse Sau-hing, of 182 Wanchai Road; Mr. Shu Shui-nan, student, and Miss Chan Pun-chun, student, of 10 victory Avenue, Homuntin; Mr. Lau Tak-ki, coal merchant, of 32 Rue de Alfonso, Macao, and Miss Ho Piu-king, of 11 Yuk Sau Street, ground floor.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Donations to British Relief Fund

The following donations have been received by the British Fund for Relief of Distress in China, Hongkong and South China Branch: Previously acknowledged \$389,-824.10.

Compradore Dept. Harry Wicking & Co., H.K., 20; H. J. Fountain 10; from the Wedding Gifts of Miss Lily Yeung, daughter of Dr. S. C. Yeung, 100; Mrs. H. H. Hollings 50; Miss Gwendolen H. J. Burt, 25; the Chinese Staff of Messrs. Geo. K. Hall Brutton & Co. 79.50.

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tory 20. Total \$403,701.01. PROTECTION OF CHILDREN The S. C. M. Post has received the following donation to the Society for the Protection of Children in memory of the late Lady Clara Ho Tung on the first anniversary of her death: Sir Robert Ho Tung, \$100. BY JOHN AMBULANUR The S. C. M. Post has received the

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PARTICULARS & CONDITION of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 9th. day of January, 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Sau Chuk Yuen Road, Kowloon City, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, commencing from 1st July, 1898, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.

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R.A.O.B. (G.L.E.) Club, Queen's operations are conducted by the army Building, Ice House Street, near Star Ferry, will hold a whist drive and tombola every Thursday, commencing Thursday, 5th January at 8.30 p.m, sharp.

All are welcomed.

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STOCK MARKET REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued at 1.00 p.m. yesterday, says:

A moderate turnover was put through during the morning, with Buyers displaying an inclination to increase their bids.

Union Insurance \$478 Union Insurance \$478
H.K. Fire Insurance \$178
Douglases \$63½
H.K. & K. Wharves \$115½
H.K. Docks (Old) \$16½
H. & S. Hotels \$6.65
H.K. Lands \$36.65
H.K. Realties \$5.25
H.K. Tramways \$17.60
Peak Trams (Old) \$7½
Peak Trams (New) \$5½ Star Ferries \$72 China Lights (cum rts.) \$9.40
China Lights (cum rts.) \$9.40
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H.K. Electrics \$37%
Macao Electrics \$17
Sandakan Lights \$10
Cements \$16.40
H.K. Ropes \$3%
Dairy Farms \$24
Entertainments \$7 Vibro Piling \$6% H.K. Govt. 4%, Loan 6% pm. H.K. Govt. 3%% Loan par.

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H.K. Electrics \$58 \(\)
Telephones (Old) \$24
Entertainments \$7 \(\)
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liongkong Bank \$1,475/90 H.K. & K. Wharves \$115 H.K. Docks (New) \$17.50 Providents (Old) \$5.40 H. & S. Hotels \$6.50 H.K. Lands \$36.85/37 H.K. Tramways \$17.60 China Lights (cum rts.) \$9.50 China Lights Rts. \$3.00/3.50 HJC. Electrics \$58/584 Telephones (Old) \$231/4 Cements \$16.00 Watsons \$5.05 Antamoka Ps. 52

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ROOSEVELT'S WARNING

"We Propose to Do Our Share for Hemisphere"

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rendezvous with destiny. That prophecy has come true."

A packed house cheered and shouted lustily when President Roosevelt entered to give his address, and the House frequently applauded when the President moved into the fighting passages of his speech, especially when he outlined the methods whereby the United States

Dr. Thomson, the German Charge d'Affaires at Washington, was a of Chinese troops have surrensilent and attentive figure in the dered in the region of the Taipeh gallery, while other interested Mountain, north and north-east spectators were the French and Mountain, north and north-east

Mrs. Roosevelt and the President's la Loud and prolonged cheering greet- among various villages in this area.

fiscated, the cost of being east into forces.—Trans-Ocean. concentration camps, and of being straid to walk down the street with the wrong neighbour, the cost of

breathing, and my children breath- strengthened. ing, the free air in a free country, in a living, not a dead world."

Schalor Key Pittman, commenting on President Roosevelt's speech, said that he believes the Government will conclude it is necessary to apply moral, financial, and commercial sanctions against threaty violaters.--Reuter.

1937

London. very graphic description of life A in Nanking and Shanghai at the outbreak of hostilities at the begingiven in a lecture by Captain L. E. arrested.

Service Institution recently. Chinese and the Japanese in Nan- managing director. king prior to the outbreak of war, feeling that to put it off would only; be to increase the disaster and being; The way for Capone's release has telegraphic communications during former gang chieftain. this period which prove, he said, that gency they fell very for short of would be paid.—Reuter. requirements.

Dealing briefly with the causes of in 1913.

DAILY LIFE

Captain Maund went on to describe in vivid detail the daily life in the International Settlement of Shanghai Shanghai, at the commencement of hostilities, picturing the havoe and destruction account of the historical sequence of that in Manchuria. incidents at the start of the war. and Shanghai. A further point he complacency of peace time.

JAPANESE

HARASSED

SHANGHAI, Jan. 4. AGAIN TESTIFYING to the fact that a large number of could protect itself from foreign Chinese troops are still behind the Japanese lines, Japanese reports state that large numbers the of Hankow.

According to aerial observation. mother were among the crowded further large numbers of Chinese regular troops are still distributed ed the President when he said: It is expected that considerable "Dictatorship involves costs which fighting will take place before this the American people will never pay— region is cleared up, even if this is the cost of our spiritual value, and at all possible in view of the fact the blessed right of being able to say that the Japanese line north of Hanwhat we please, the cost of freedom, kow is not continuous enough to the cost of our capital being con- prevent the infiltration of Chinese

London, Jan. 4. having our children brought up, not as free human beings, but, moulded Tai-chi, speaking at the National Trade Union Club in London to-day, "If the avoidance of these costs said that the determination of the mean taxes on my income, or duties Chinese people to fight to the bitter on my estate, I would bear those end, until an equitable and lasting taxes willingly as the price for my peace could be obained, had been

> The whole country was behind the leadership of Generalissimo Chiang Kal-shek.

The Japanese peace terms were a fraudulent attempt to make China a vassal State. Until Japan changed her terms of policy towards China, there could be no alternative but to

internal disturbance, China had shown none of weakening, and there was no possibility of surrender .-

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ning of the Sino-Japanese War was wealthier than he was when

H. Maund, R.N. at the Royal United The syndicate which has been running his enterprises—all legal, Captain Mound began by dealing except gambling-have, made trewith the respective outlooks of the mendous profits for their absent

wishes, while the Chinese regarded brought Capone's banking account with equanimity the enevitability, into seven figures.

convinced that they must fight at been cleared by the payment of over once. Captain Maund referred \$37,000 towards the \$50,000 fine and briefly to the difficulties of British court costs outstanding against the

munications are barely adequate ment to the district court, did not during peace time, in times of emer- indicate when the remaining sum

the war, Captain Maund drew a made in this respect was that the parallel between the situation in world as a whole would hardly have Japan in 1937 and that of Germany been interested in a war in North China, while the British and Americans could not possibly ignore the threat of aggression to what was largely their own property if the

Referring to the question of Briwrought by aerial bombardment, this tish commercial interests in the Far being largely the result, at the start East he stated that while at first of the war, of Chinese attacks. He some people had held the idea that particularly mentioned the extreme the sooner the Japanese won the danger, so often overlooked, of war, the better the business prosglass during those attacks and felt pects would be, these views had more adequate attention should be quickly changed to a realisation that paid to that particular aspect of airthe position there under Japanese raid precautions. He gave a detailed control would be exactly similar to

giving the reason for the spread of Captain Maund concluded by saythe conflict to Shanghai, and parti- ing how vividly these weeks had cularly emphasizing the desire of the brought home to him the increasing Chinese that the war should be tempo of modern life and particufought at Shanghai, thus forcing the larly of modern warfare and that if Japanese to do battle over very diffi- we are to stem this tide, we have cult country between the Yangtse to throw off the indifference and

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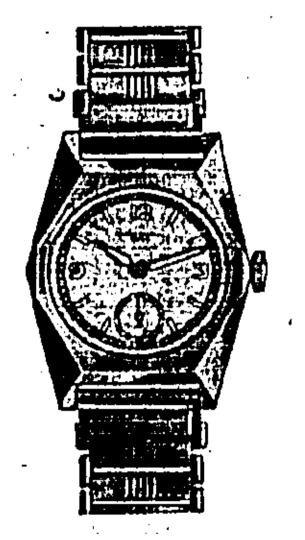
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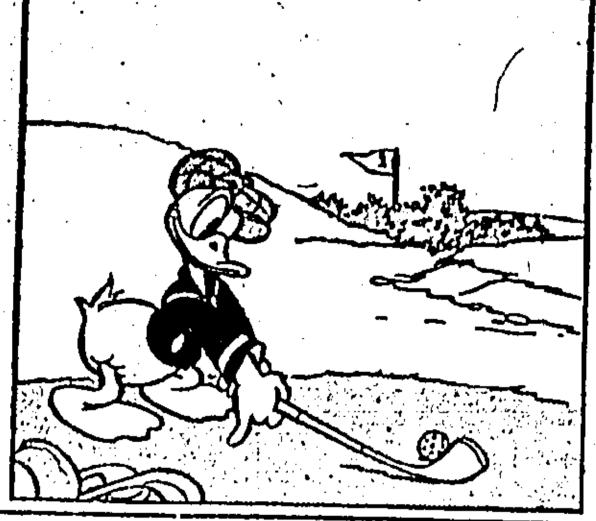
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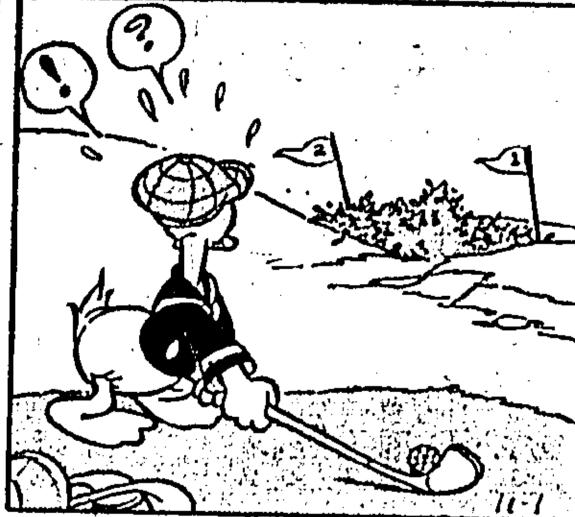
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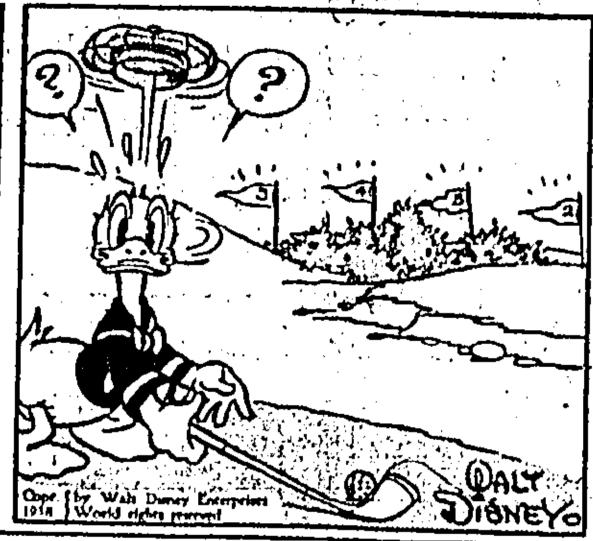
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he Imperial Airway plane Della landed at Kai Tak at 4 p.m. yester- tery, R.A. day with 330 kiles of mail from all countries.

The Denebola and the Delphinus are expected to arrive on Friday, a day early, with the week-end mail. The Delia will leave with the outward load on Friday morning.

C.N.A.C. REORGANISE

Local Business Office To Remain Open

The Hongkong office of China National Aviation Corporation, owing to the recently reduced and indefinite schedule, has been ordered to hat that Mr. Erik Tollefsen, former clusive Japanese raiding preserve by fought, and the contest was declared a reduce its staff in order to curtail Co-Director General of Chinese expenses, but local business will be Posts, passed away on December 22 other foreign interests," he writes. carried on as usual. The news re- while at Estoril, outside Lisbon, cently published in Chinese papers where he and his wife were to spend that C.N.A.C. will close down its the winter. Heart fallure was the Hongkong office and that its local cause. business will be handled by Pan American Alrways Company is unfounded.

general traffic agent of Pan Ameri- where he joined the Customs and Mr. Lee emphasises that British Y, Chao, formerly in charge of the branch. He was stationed in Kal- £300,000,000 and contrasts the de-Y. Chao, formerly in charge of the pranen. He was stationed in KniC.N.A.C. Canton office, who has feng in 1904, when some excellent cline of British and American exHon. Mr. D. Landale (Deputy Chairman); G. Friesland, Esq.; thing You Said Came True (Friend Plano accomp. by Franz Rupp. been stationed in Hongkong for some articles written by him and publishtime, is appointed to take temporary ed in the Shanghai newspapers panese exports in 1938. He points Eag.: C. S. Gubbay, Eag.: P. H. and Franklin)....Turner Loyton

AIR FRANCE COMING

The weekly Air France plane is expected at Kai Tak at 12.30 p.m.

to-day, and will depart at dawn on Saturday for Hanol, TASMAN SEA SERVICE

Wellington, Jan. 4.

The air service between Australia and New Zealand is expected to begin at Easter. Work has begun at the air base at Auckland harbour.-Reuter.

AIR SERVICES

Arrivals and Departures Of Planes Onlward

For London, Australia, British For Chungking, Sian, etc.; Eurasia ber, 1936.

6.30 a.m. Jan. 7. Inward

From U.S.A. via Honolulu, Guam Manila: Pan American Philippine Clipper 12.30 p.m. Jan. 5.

From France, via Hanol: Air France 12,30 p.m. December Jan. 5.

MOTOR CAR STOLEN

Disappears from Outside Majestic Theatre

from a car belonging to Chiu Wang- loans secured thereon. He occupied ylp of Connaught Road West, while his post until December 1936, when

Sentence of three weeks' hard labour was imposed by Mr. R. A. D. Married in February 1928 to phical Society, 1B, Chater Road.

All interested are welcome. Forrest at the Central Magistracy Mademoiselle Ginette Gerber, sister- All interested are welcome.

OBITUARY

Lance-Sergeant Of Royal Artillery Passes

The death occurred in the Military Hospital, Bowen Road, yesterday, of Lance-Sergeant William Thompson, of the 12th Heavy Bat-

Deceased was 37 years of age and had been in the Army for 12 years, four of which were spent in Hongkong. He is survived by his wife and six children, all of whom are in the Colony.

The funeral takes place at 3 p.m. to-day at the Colonial Cemetery via Stubbs Road.

MR. ERIK TOLLEFSEN

Former Co-Director General Of Chinese Posts

News has been received in Shang-

Christiania (Olso) University in our prestige is to be allowed to de-C.N.A.C. will continue to be the 1891, and came to China in 1896, cline." charge of the local business in caught the attention of Sir Robert out that what happened in Formosa, Holyonk, Esq.; G. R. Laurenz, Esq.; Vocal) at the Plano; The Winter Hart, who immediately had him Korea and Manchukuo, where Bri- W. L. Pattenden, Esq.; J. A. Plummer. Waltz (Ager); Rosetta (Woode...Len transferred to Peking. With his keen tish trade is only one per cent. since Enq.; Hon. Mr. E. Shellin; H. A. Siebs, Fillis and His Orchestra; Round A CLIPPER DUE TO-DAY

intellect and administrative ability, they were annexed by Japan, will Mr. Tollersen was soon (in 1906) happen also in China unless Japanese Promoted to Postal Commissioner in aggression is checked.

Esq. Chief Stabb. The delayed Pan American Philippine Chipper is expected to arrive at Kai Tak at 12.30 p.m. to-day, and placed in charge of various important will depart to-morrow at 8.30 a.m.

"We can only pay the colossal bill of rearmament, social services and interest on loans if we increase, let the old capital, and subsequently of rearmament, social services and interest on loans if we increase, let the old capital, and subsequently of rearmament, social services and interest on loans if we increase, let the old capital, and subsequently of rearmament, social services and interest on loans if we increase, let the old capital, and subsequently of rearmament, social services and interest on loans if we increase, let the old capital, and subsequently of rearmament, social services and interest on loans if we increase, let the old capital, and subsequently of rearmament, social services and interest on loans if we increase, let the old capital, and subsequently of rearmament, social services and interest on loans if we increase, let the old capital, and subsequently of rearmament, social services and interest on loans if we increase, let the old capital, and subsequently of rearmament, social services and interest on loans if we increase, let the old capital capita 1911-12 and 1923-6). In 1926 he left alone maintain, our export trade and continued. on what he expected to be his final surely China with her magnificent home leave before retirement, but in possibilities, natural genius for trade 1929 the Chinese Government recalled him and he was appointed more support than we have so far co-Director General of Posts. From given," he declared.

In the Dally Telegraph Ma D c settled down outside Oslo.

MR. A. C. E. BRAUD

Former Commissioner Of Customs at Canton....

formerly Commissioner of the Shang- ties and establish a Far Eastern bloc hal Customs, who passed away at it will be first and foremost at this Nice, on November 26, in his 55th country's expense,-Reuter.

Born at Fontainebleau (France) on February 5, 1883, the late Mr. Braud first came to China in 1901 to join the Chinese Maritime Customs, in Court Sequel to Piracy In Countries and Europe: Imperial Air- the full period of 35 years service before being superannuated in Decem-

inte Inspector-General, Sir Francis of cigarettes. They also took his Aglen, to take up the post of Chinese cheque book and chop. Secretary at the Inspectorate General, which post he retained for a period of over five years. In 1929, was given by Decenve-Dergeant in the Brand was placed in shares of the B. Dowar yesterday, and he said he Gould, Deputy Registrar of Mar-much known of discipline save however, did not allow his dethat important office during the Street, where defendant asked for who has been residing at the Row-1932. In March 1933, he was selected named Tsang Kiu. This was hand- B. Adamezewski and Mr. H. Pielcke. by the present Enspector-General, Sir ed to witness, and found to contain Frederick Maze, for the post of \$600 in national currency. Clothing valued at \$70 was stolen the service of foreign and national it was parked in Hill Road on Tues- his usefulness to the Customs Ser-

TRADE IN CHINA

Growing Anxiety Felt In Britain

London, Jan. 4. Japanese encroachment on foreign way from Tientain to Tungchow. trade rights in China is given prominence in The Times and Daily

Mr. Lennox B. Lee, who is Chairman of the Calico Printers' Association and a member of the Advisory Miss Mary Endicott of Salem, Mass., Council to the Board of Trade, in a took place at St. John's Episcopal letter to The Times strongly supports | Church. Washington. The coremony Mr. J. W. Nicholson's letter of De- was of the simplest possible descripcember 21 and ensligates the Gov- tion. ernment's long-suffering policy in

stendy elimination of British and draw. "If the Government's long-suffering policy is not soon stiffened by something more than diplomatic protests, Mr. Tollefsen, born in Drammen, trader might as well be told of the over by Mr. Reid. Vice President of the Toy Drum Major; Toy Town Artil-Affairs." Norway, in 1872, graduated from extinction of all he can look for since Club.

In the Daily Telegraph Mr. B. S. Keeling minutely analyses the resources of the economic bloc of by three wickets, thus performing the sources of the economic bloc of the by three wickets, thus performing the China, Japan and Manchukuo and in Australia in the first three matches economy. He emphasises that more Australia since 1911-12. British money is invested in China than in any country except Argen-The news has reached Shanghai of tina. If therefore Japan can surthe death of Mr. A. C. E. Braud, mount the present mancial difficul-

FORGED CHEQUES

Chinese Waters

tions and procedure which resulted m sum of \$1,500 Chinese national curthe present "Customs Code." He also rency, on December 1, 1938, one for played an important share in plan- \$1,600 on December 5, and with rening the improvements in local Cus- celving a stolen chop belonging to From London, Australia and Bri- toms procedure, necessitated by the the complainant, Wu Hol-shan, was tish Countries: Imperial Airways 5 expansion of the trade following the heard before Mr. T. J. Houston at p.m. Jan. 6; Imperial Airways 5 p.m. War and the introduction in 1919 the Central Magistracy yesterday. of a revised Import Tariff which Mr. C. A. S. Russ was present for ultimately culminated in the institu- defendant, and Detective Sub. In-From Chungking, Yunnaniu, Kwel- tion of the Appraising Department at spector R. W. Ritchie prosecuted. lin: C.N.A.C. Eurasia Services in- the Shanghai Customs, and other At a previous hearing Tsang was alleged to have been one of the party of armed Chinese who board-A Chinese scholar of no mean dis- ed Wu's junk at Nam Sha, Chinese tinction, Mr. Braud was called by the Territory, and took away his cargo

Evidence of arrest on December 5

A Look Throughs The "Telegraph"

50 YEARS AGO

A correspondent at Taku informs us that he hours on very good authority Further evidence of the growing that the Chinese Government has anxiety of British business men at authorised the construction of a rall-

> The first through express train from Paris arrived at Constantinople to-day.

The marriage of Joseph Chamberlain M.P., of Birmingham, England, and

"It is indeed astounding that this champion pugillat of the world, and champion pugillat of the world, and Professor Mike Donovan, retired middle- (film 'Here's To Romance'); Here's weight champion, met in a glove con- To Romance—Slow Fox-Trot (from

25 YEARS AGO

house, Quarry Bay, and was a most Keller with Fred Hartley and His Corsaire Ballet'-Delibes)....cond. which only earn Japanese contempt successful affair. The attendance of Quintet and dialogue by Archie by B. Walton O'Donnell. three hundred was the biggest on Campbell; Medley Of Marches; Intro:

> HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING S. H. Dodwell, Esq., (Chairman); Memorles (Harry Woods); Every- bourin Chinois (Kreisler).... with

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warms against incide assumptions of of the series of five. This is the first the collapse of Japanese finance and time England has won the "Ashes" in

continues to give cause for anxiety on doomed to disappointment; for tion of the Gaol, by Major

FIVE YEARS AGO

method of water distribution is involved in the petition which Chinese property ing a position with the local adowners have presented to the Govern- ministration; for his knowledge ment. In general, they are bound to of the vernacular tongue alone, necessary reforms was swiftly lissue has been brought to a head by was in that day of ignorance of performed, and Mr. Inglis relower rentals, the existence of many everything Chinese, and general ceived the thanks of a grateful Further evidence against Tsang lower rentals, the existence of many everything Uninese, and general empty flats, with excess water consump. apathy towards its study suffi-

> Following yesterday's Ladies' hockey trial in preparation for the forthcoming visit of the Australian Ladies THE most important of Mr. hockey team, a representative side was Inglis' series of appointments provisionally picked as under:
>
> R. Rose (St. Andrew's); E. M. Gray and incidentally the one through [I.K. Ladies), B. Helbling (H.K. which he rendered the greatest or Wong (St. Andrew's); M. Wallace (H.K. service to the Colony, was that Ladies); H. Knill (C.B.S.); J. Dalziel of May 12, 1857 by which he was Brown (Y.M.C.A. Ladies),

The wedding took place on Tueswas given; by Detective-Sergeant H. day at the Registry before Mr. T. J. in afternoon to a house in Pelho and Miss Erna Margarete Seidel

Kowloon Union Church had a most crime. To-night, at 8 p.m., Dr. Arthur enjoyable time yesterday afternoon, vice and to China was cut short by Fung will deliver his second lecture when a Christmas Party was held in on Theosophy and Therapeutics," the Church Hall. There were games in the Lodge from of the Theoso- and songs, and tea later in the after-

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Midnight In Paris Quick Step Reynolds and Pascoe Thornton. the film). . Mantovani and His-Tipica Band. Orch. with Vocal Chorus; When I Learn French (Thomson)....Greia Prairle Flower, March (Ord Hume); The fifth annual ball arranged by the Keller with Orchestral accomp.; The Lynwood, March (Ord Hume); Dance lery; Colonel Bogey; Raie Da Costa (Pinno) with effects; Swance Moon

> 7.40 Studio-Z.B.W. Orchestra. 1. Overture "Raymond" (Ambroise Thomas); Interval Pretty Mocking of La Scala, Milan conducted by Bird (Bishop)....Mavis Bennett Carlo Sabajno. (Soprado) with Piano accomp. by

Gipsy Camp (Traditional-arr, Man-

Gerald Moore and Flute; 2. Mattinata Inutile (Bonelli); 3. Intermezzo

8.0 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 Studio-Z.B.W. Orchestra. 4. Valse "Yrelise" (Militello); 5. Casanova Suite (Becce); Interval Neapolitan Nights (A Medley of Itallan Songs)....Light Opera Company with Orch.; 6. Ballet for Orchestra (Francis Popy); (a) Mazurka; (b) Pizzicati; (c) Valse Lente (d) Largo; (c) Galop.

8.30 London Relay-"At The Black

Mr. Wilkes at home in his own bar-parlour. Presented by S. E, 9.0 The B.B.C. Wireless Military

Vanity Fair-Overture (Fletcher); Talkoo Club was held at the Club Laugh Was On Me (Carter)....Greta Of The Flowers-Valse (from 'Le

9.15 London Relay -- "World

A talk by A. P. Newton, D. Litt. 9.30 London Relay.The News.

10.0 Schubert-Moments Musicaux Played by Ethel Leginska (Piano). 10.23 Puccini's "La Tosca" Act III. Sung by Giuseppe Bottini (Boy tovani).... Mantovani and His Tipica Soprano), Carmen Mells (Soprano) Piero Pauli (Tenor), Nello Palai (Tenor) and Giovanni Assimenti

(Bass) with Chorus and Orchestra 11.0 Close down.

THE MAN WHO REFORM TO THE COLONY

(Continued from Page 6.)

the Hongkong side. All the reservoirs after staying in America for a Caine in 1843, were aided in year or so, we find him back in their efforts to rehabilitate Hongkong. Apparently, too, he themselves and achieve genuine The whole question of the local had no difficulty in again secur- reform.

(H.K. Ladies); M. Woolley (St. An. of May 12, 1807 by which he was drew's), J. Churchill (H.K. Ladies); O. designated "Governor of the Victoria Gaol." His nomination to this post was indeed timely; for conditions in this time-honoured penal establishment were then,

to put it mildly—chaotic.

Mr. W. R. E. Stevenson, of the Government Audit Department, responsibility for the normal contracted on leave of the Shanghal Custom which he held until January tion on December 9, defendant said the charged at: the Police States of the Shanghal Custom which he held until January tion on December 9, defendant said the charged at: the Police States of the Shanghal Custom which he held until January tion on December 9, defendant said the cheque book and chop had been given to thim by complainant, and trusted by the Inspector General as the Hongkong Government decided to reciprocate the sentiments of the Mongkong Government decided to reciprocate the sentiments of the Mongkong Government decided to reciprocate the sentiments of the Mongkong Government decided to reciprocate the sentiments of the Mongkong Government decided to reciprocate the sentiments of the Mongkong Government decided to reciprocate the sentiments of the Mongkong Council voted with primary responsibility for the Colony. The Mongkong Council voted with primary responsibility for the Colony to the Pacific Digest. The witnesses were Mrs. Liu Wan-ngok, and Mr. Tam Sul-tong.

THEFTS FROM CARS

The Wedding took place yesterday before Mr. T. J. Gould, Deputy five nile was as likely as not cognition of his many services to the cognition of his m singular disregard to the finer gratuity of \$8,040 raised by pub-Wan-ngok, and Mr. Tam Sui-tong. the reform of the criminal to award him an annual pension The Sunday School children of the classes, had become a school of of £163. 6s. 8d.

useful trade. Those who were craft were organised into groups, and given work to do. Thus there were blacksmiths, farriers, carpenters and the like. Under this new system, idleness was December, the water supply situation the new land, he was evidently the first time since the institu-

The task of expediting the and C.N.A.C. services indefinite.

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On his return from the Great War Yik-tak, 35, charged on three counts with having brought clent to insure an immediate aposition where charges for such pointment in an official capacity council in its meeting of August of all proportion to property for the fortunate possessor. him as Harbour Master and D

Marine Magistrate.

TO these posts was later added another,—that of Emigration Officer, but his sojourn in the Colony was to be cut short owto ill health. Bright's disease—that malady of the middle-aged man-attacked him, and rendered it imperative that he should take a respite from his official duties. Accordingly, on March 1, 1861, he left for Engaccompanied Tsang on the same riages, of Mr. Robert Frosch, chemist, the frequent administration of parture to pass unnoticed, and a "cnt." Prisoners were committee of local residents and obtained a parcel from a woman loon Hotel. The witnesses were Dr. crowded into their cells with a presented him with a handsome

Mr. Inglis, however, did not long survive to enjoy the emoluments which his term of service to in Hongkong had carned for yesterday on Leung Chuen 17, unemployed, who pleaded guilty to a
charge of stealing an electric motor
horn valued \$5 from on 180, 1273 |
Thing Ling, Street: at 7.50 p.m. on leaves a brother (M. Arthur Braud,
Thirsday, Theosophy 19, The Appeal of
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wouldn't have this nasty cold!

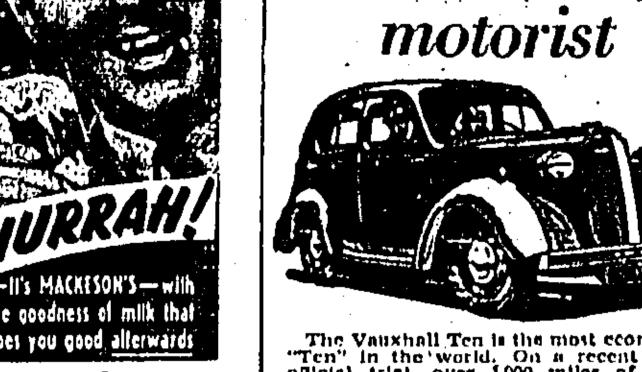
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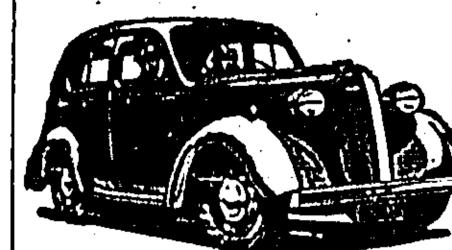
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Nonsense

WHAT A LOT of nonsense news agencies sometimes send us about international affairs!

and Italy, shout rude remarks at one another.

pull long faces and talk of war. As if incidents like this are

not always part of our present inadequate form of civilisation. We have had them in the past and will have them in the future. Worse incidents. Grave tension. And no war came of | would rather talk of peace than them.

clopaedia Britannica" tella you truculence as a sign of national about it. A place beside the cowardice will discover their Nile, where British and French forces met in 1898.

France sought to link up her possessions in West Africa with those at the entrance to the Red | tive of the value of Prime Minis- is in the circumstances unavoid- solve. Sea. And Kitchener hurried up ter Neville Chamberlain's flight able for the time being. the Nile to head them off.

Europe was filled with alarm. Nothing came of it. For Kitchener persuaded the French commander to evacuate Fashoda. Though some Frenchmen cried out against the "Pact of Shame", the tension passed away. And six years later Britain and France made an entente which included a complete settlement of their colonial differences.

large one day fade away into nothing the next.

The air is always full of rights

and wrongs. When the Tunisia and Djibouti grievances die down we will find more waiting. There are lots of people in Europe who seem to want to say their piece, and thump the big drum. There is a queue of oppressed nations seeking sympathy.

When they have all had their say perhaps somebody will start to talk sense to that silly continent that is Europe.

settled down to the job of deciding mans and Italians openly affirm suitable employment and that alongside one another instead of man, Italian publications discuss idleness—was abolished.

THIS was followed on December bane of every convict's life—10th of the same year with idleness—was abolished. trying to live on top of one an-

day, we will still go on receiving Singapore, Hongkong, India and the year 1820. As there is pracexpensive cables telling us about | Shanghai. new crises and new wrangles.

Postscript

editorial about Wang Ching-wei. has given impetus to the thought European residents of the voting a great deal of his leisure who had thrown up their berths We do not intend to write an and doubt with a sensational Colony as he arrived here in to the mastery of the Cantonese in order to answer the magic call editorial about Wang Ching-wei. | book just out, entitled "The Do- June 1848. | colloquial, and while he never of California. Whatever may received too much free publicity. pire."

Lady Drummond-Hay,

who recently visited Hongkong, sends from London this absorbing article on

Defending This Empire

HE DICTATOR STATES, Italy the Fascist Roman militaristic Imperial Japan, Some American newspapers have been and still are open-interpret the forthcoming visit y gambling on the of the King and Queen to Canada "Decline and Fall" of

The Shape of Things to Come, the British Empire." that is to me one of the most Some American commentators most important factors looming land might fall under

British Empire.

Envious of the wealth and thereby. happiness of the free British paredness, the Fascist and Nazi regimes are deceiving themselves as to the real sentiment of the British people.

Our love of peace, admittedly sometimes expressed too vehe-Two European Powers, France | mently, has occasionally been misinterpreted as a manifestation of nation-wide fear.

We in England did fear war, As a result, misguided people if by "fear" is understood deep-rooted national revulsion against the folly and crime of war. But there was not then, there is not to-day, never has been "fear" to fight for country, Empire and all we hold dear.

The spirit of England is very much alive, even though we War, more particularly since The problems of naval, miliof war. Those who take the Fashoda, for instance. "Ency- absence of sabre-rattling and mistake.

to Berchtesgaden in September, It should be recalled that the T WAS PARTICULARLY im- I hear from what has hitherto humbling his own pride, the British Empire extends more pressed with this thought been a well-informed source, wisdom of the Premier in allow- two countries, states dominions, General W. G. S. Dobbie, General ing Adolf Hitler the exaltation. of that triumph and the conqueror at Munich. What many The disputes which bulk so | Hitler's sweeping success in the Czecho-Slovakian crisis, no British interests were sacrificed at

Munich. Munich however, have had an inevitable consequence and effect which should by no means be underestimated. That is loss of prestige. Small nations can afford to be indifferent to prestige. Not Empires or Great Powers. Prestige has for many decades been Britain's most influential factor, not only within the Empire but all over the could be remembered by re- position in order to accept the

wide question "Is the British Colony was remodelled so that It is time the nations there Empire on the Decline?" Ger- prisoners were provided with

it. The question is asked in Until the dawn of that happy Canada, Australia, New Zealand, was born in England about gained on the Magistracy Bench Wr. Inglis left the

AN ENGLISHMAN, Robert not known. It is known, how- penal system in its entirety.

The author reflects such extraordinary prejudices against Roman England, and goes to such lengths to prove his contention, that it is difficult to believe he with can be by birth an Englishman.

and the United States next June in the light of a "Royal S O S to America"—that in effect, it is As the New Year foreshadows an appeal to America to "save

significant, certainly one of the point to a possibility that Engon the horizon, which the diplo-domination of the Dictators, and macy and power of Adolf Hitler, go so far as to attribute Presiof Benito Mussolini and the am-dent Roosevelt's gigantic re-jordania and Iraq, whose protec-was in Hongkong talking to bitions of Japan want to weave armament programme to that into their pattern of the Future. idea, and America's isolation

peoples which is a constant re- resurgence of the one-time na- parately the innumerable Indian I was in Abyssinia during the tional spirit of the Bull-dog States. of British territories, somewhat breed' sweeping the Empire" intoxicated by sensational suc- can save Britain. Others main- dicated by no fewer than twnety- guest of the Emperor Haile cesses born in part of bold bluff, tain that Mr. Chamberlain is six Naval bases and stations. Selassie at the latter's military and in part of our own unpre-shrewdly playing for time for British Royal Air Force air bases Headquarters at Dessie. two purposes, to increase Bri- and commercial aerodromes are tain's defensive strength, and to scattered over a line eleven thou! come to an understanding with sand miles long to far off New

> President Roosevelt, I have military forces on land in this armament" in our Press. good reason for believing, is far vast Empire number scarcely from averse to such an under- one-third of Germany's standing standing provided it is on a fifty- army. fifty basis. In view of the grow- That the Central Government ing aggressiveness of the Dicta- in London in formulating policy, tor nations, an ever-increasing more especially in times of grave proportion of the American peo- international crisis, is necessari- anyone, it has been the British ple are in favour of closer co- ly influenced by the advice of the operation with Britain, despite Imperial General Staff and the the isolationist school of thought. Admiralty, and must take into

CINCE THE END of the World "front" in the world, is obvious. Empire strategy.

. In strong nations, political was Chief of Staff of the British policy dictates military strategy Expeditionary Force, are more WE ARE YET too close to the on land, sea and in the air. If difficult than those which any picture to gain real perspect the reverse is true in England, it other nation is called upon to



GRIN AND BEAR IT

"It's a little annuity I took out for Junior-it'll make a nice nest egg when he grows up and needs bail."

possessions, provinces, colonies, Officer in command of Singapore tectorates, not to mention those fence Forces. countries such as Egypt, Transby Great Britain. In the above that vital Empire possession. One writer holds that "only a number I have not counted se- I had known Colonel Holt when

Zealand. Britain's peacetime

consideration the strategical requirements on this, the longest

the appearance on the European tary and air strategy for the Emstage of the Dictator powers, pire which from time to time Britain's policy has been shaped confront the Admiralty and Imand fixed by the necessities, perial General Staff and its limitations, even weaknesses of Chief, Lord Gort, whom I first met in China in 1927 when he

pride of his high office, of the than sixteen thousand miles when early this year (1938), I that Adolf Hitler also told Mr. Empire and of the British peo- around the globe, and in Africa flew within sight of Malta, saw Pirow, the South African Minisple. We cannot see the evolving this belt is three thousand miles the Royal Air Force bases near ter, on his visit to Der Fuchrer Baghdad, and three days later in Berchtesgaden, that his dethe other, nor can we judge the The Empire embraces ninety- chatted in Singapore with Major- mand for the former German

mandates, dependencies and pro- Fortress and of all the Malay De-

By Lichty

By the end of another week, I tion against foreign invasion is Colonel H. B. Holt, Commissiondirectly or indirectly guaranteed er of Defence and Security in

war there. He was the British British Naval strategy is in- Military attache and I was

> THERE HAS BEEN a great deal of paper and ink "re-

> Promises and hopes of the headliness and what was printed below them, have not always been fulfilled. This has been especially applicable to our air armament. If it has deceived people themselves. Paper pasted over a hole does not long conceal the void.

> Necessity of maintaining the military secrets of national defence has furnished ground for rumours and reports exaggerating our weakness in the air.

That we are growing stronger is evident from welcome signs that the British Lion is bestirring himself and swishing his tail. That is a cheerful promise for the New Year.

A pity only, that Colonial Secretary Malcolm MacDonald watered his promise regarding the British Colonies with the qualification that it is "not now".

sciousness of a victorious con- T. Paul Gregory's Series on Old Hongkong

that aside from British prestige, THE MAN WHO INTRODUCED PRISON REFORM TO THE COLONY

capacity during the early days that he was looked upon as a which rendered him invaluable was Mr. Andrew Lysaught most likely young man for future to the Government in an age Inglis, Harbour Master and advancement. In fact, his rise when the majority of Europeans Marine Magistrate, but better in office was, to say the least, scorned such an accomplishment known in old Hongkong as the almost meteoric; his first ap- as beneath their dignity.

Berchtesgaden, Godesberg and A likeable personality who ser- Magistrate's office, but so effi- tained an insight into Chinese funich however, have had an in- ved this Colony in an official ciently did he perform his task, psychology and mode of thought, "Governor of Victoria Gaol." | pointment was announced on Mr. Inglis was a man of the July 16, 1845 as successor to Mr. loftiest humanitarian senti-Samuel Fearon, the Registrar HE, however, retained his post ments, and, on this account, General, who had resigned his sidents of the present day; for Chair of Professor of Chinese Berchtesgaden, Godesberg and it was entirely due to his efforts Language and Literature in Munich projected the world- that the prison system of the King's College, London.

> Assistant Police Magistrate, and was of the greatest assistance

That gentleman has already cline and Fall of the British Em- His first position in Hongkong became a fluent speaker of this have been Mr. Inglis' hopes in was that of Clerk in the Marine interesting tongue, he yet ob-

of Registrar-General for only four years, when he tendered his resignation. No reason for this unexpected course is given in the official records, but from Mr. Inglis' own remarks it appears that his act was entirely voluntary, and due solely to his desire to proceed to California in order 10th of the same year with to proceed to California in order the additional appointment of now developed into a veritable now developed into a veritable stampede, luring thousands of

Mr. Inglis left the Colony tically no biographical matter to him in later years when he sometime in June 1849, in comavailable concerning his early successfully carried out his plan pany with some twenty or thirty life or family the exact date is of reforming the Hongkong other Hongkong residents, large-We haven't written an A Briffault, living in America, ever, that he was one of the first In the meantime, he was de- erstwhile sailors before the mast,

(Continued on Page 5.)

G.M.C. HEAR AMAZING TALE OF DOCTOR AND MARRIED WOMEN

66Guilty? But Not Struck Off

N amazing story of a married doctor and a married woman, in which allegations of blackmail were made, was told in London recently to the General Medical Council.

Dr. John Christopher Jones, of Glebe, South Yardley, Birmingham, was found guilty of "infamous conduct in a professional respect" by committing adultery with the woman, Mrs. Hesba Woodman, usually known as Mrs. H. M. B. Jones, of Washwood Heath-road, Birmingham, on March 6, 1934, while he was her medical adviser.

The council, however, decided not to crase his name from the medical register.

Mr. A. S. Pereira said the complainant in the case was Mr. Jones. Edward Jones, no relative to anyone in the case, but a lifelong friend of Mrs. Woodman and her family.

Mr. Pereira said that in 1922 or 1023 Dr. Jones was medical adviser at Portloe, near Truro, to Mrs. Blamey and her two daughters, Mrs. Puckey and Mrs. Woodman. Mrs. Woodman, however, was then known as Miss Blamey—she had

kept her marriage secret from every- tion, and so the case for the comone, even her mother.

her second confinement.

she began to pester him. Dr. Jones moved to Chatham and Mr. Roberts: Is there any truth

A CRY

Giving evidence, Mr. Edward Mrs. Woodman had gone away to Jones said that at Chatham in his commit suicide. presence Dr. Jones tried to induce "These calls came repeatedly dur-Mrs. Woodman to go to Australia ing the day and finally there came with him, saying he was willing to a call late in the evening, asking leave his own family.

He had been paying Mrs. Wood- when I went that it was true. man £1 a week.

Station-road, Birmingham. 1934, he said at lunch time he was in brought her back." the kitchen and the children in the drawing room.

"Dr. Jones and Mrs. Woodman | Dr. Jones faltered and sat with his were in the dining-room. I heard head in his hands for a minute before her cry out and I went to the door. continuing. "Dr. Jones was then about to come "I had visions she might have of drink. out of the dining-room door with the committed suicide. She might throw Mr. F. P. Winterbotham, netting comfort, "to be measured by the

"He said to me, 'Is this what you! tacked me.

"The children came on the scene, against me. Mrs. Woodman was on the settee, cry-

were very frightened. Eventually I committed adultery. escorted the doctor out of the door. sort of thing out of his head and let pack of lies.

her live a decent life. "His reply," said Mr. Jones, "was always the same: 'I love her and I want her to go away with me. I shall never be happy until she does."

"IN PUBLIC INTEREST"

Cross-examined by Mr. G. D. Roberts, K.C., for the doctor, Mr. Jones agreed that he was charging Lr. Jones with rape four and a half years ago, of which he knew at the

Mr. Roberts: You say you are bringing this charge for protection? | for): Were you the father of any of -In the interests of the general

I maggest to you this charge is brought because Dr. Jones has refused to pay you and Mrs. Woodman any more money?-No.

I suggest that in the middle of October of this year you sent a message to Dr. Jones saying that you would withdraw the charge if he would resume payments?—This is the first word I have ever heard of such a thing.

Have you constantly used the threat of this tribunal as a lever to get money out of him?-1 have never used that threat at all at any time. Mr. Roberts: I have to suggest to you that you are a line and a blackmailer.—I am not a liar, and I

am certainly not a blackmailer. Mr. Jones denied that before Dr. Jones went to Australia he (the doctor) sent Mrs. Woodmun £100. Mr. Roberts: On the occasion of this rape-March 0, 1934-was Mrs. Woodman screaming for you?-Yes. Mr. Roberts produced two cheques from Dr. Jones made out in the name The second session of the School commonwealth of peoples and of the Radium Institute, of Mrs. Jones. They were dated 27- held under the auspices of the Social nations," Mr. MacDonald assured the Research has been with

and £3. threats to Dr. Jones, did you begin in 1938 also threatening his wife?— hum as vice-chairman. More than The sequence of lectures followed First experiments on these lines I have never spoken to her and I attended feedball before an inaugural address by Lord were made just after the war with would not know her if I saw her.

Mr. Roberts' last question was, "I Colonies. In the course of a speech on Islam. ... suggest that none of your actions in in which he defined the goal of Bri- For comparison with British ad- pitals. this matter has been actuated by tish Government as "the ultimate esmotives of public benefit; I suggest tablishment of the various colonial Mr. Hobart dealt with Indian and Developments by Stockholm and self-reliant members of a great Administration.

the evidence of Mrs. Woodman. which would be of a painful camera, and unless she could be referred to as Mrs. Jones, and not as Mrs. Woodman, he would

The council refused the applicaplainant closed.

husband to attend Mrs. Woodman at Woodman was always saying that she After this, according to Dr. Jones, could have reported him to the coun-

with great emotion, said:

me to go there. I went, I believed

VISIONS OF COURT

might do away with herself. want?' put his hands up and ut- quest, identifying the body, and sort for being drunk in charge of a car. to-day to sentence me a second time

"When she came I was terribly relieved to see her alive, and I went to his own wrong side to avoid this stated that Watson's present punish-"We had a fight, during which the up to her, put my arms around her, cyclist, and as he was returning to ment was severe and that he sinceresideboard capsized and some furni- feeling terribly grateful that she his proper side two other cyclists ly hoped that he might have the

"When I saw him next I told him whatever-in this story of rape at midthat I was fired of that method of day and her screaming and fighting

> large number of payments he saving me from the General

Medical Council," Dr. Jones said after the complaint had been made to the G.M.C. Mrs. Puckey suggested it might be withdrawn if he resumed payments of 30s. a week.

be extremely unlikely.

The council then gave their ver- lute.

"No, they have not," replied Mr. "SAVED"

Mr. Pereira said he had been instructed by Mr. Jones that if nature, could not be given in

not allow her to be called.

In 1926 Dr. Jones was usked by the In evidence Dr. Jones said Mrs. had saved him-meaning that she

"I received telephone calls that

"Mrs. Puckey (Mrs. Woodman's In September 1932 he moved to sister) told me Mr. Jones had found her rushing about like a wild thing Describing the scene on March 6, on the railway station and had

of opprobrium which might be hurled

hadn't committed suicide. I held her rode in front of him. He hit the opportunity of assisting him,

Mr. Roberts: Is there any truth and a glass of beer. treatment and it was time he put that and upsetting the furniture?-Just a

Dr. Jones enumerated the had made, including sums for rent and rates, and added, "There was always the suggestion behind these payments that they were

Mr. Douglas Bartley (legal assesthese children?-The only possibility s the third, and that seems to me to

dlet after a short retirement.



Pauline Neubronner and Cynthia and Rosalind, daughters of Mr. D. O. Silver, as they appeared in the Y.M.C.A. Pantomime, "Cinderella".-King's Studio.

MOTHER'S SYMPATHY

ning again, you will make good."

G.M.C. Hear Widow's Divided Plea For Doctor Who Time Killed Her Husband Between

recently, Dr. David Davidson Wat- some grudge against me, but they son, of Wakefield, serving a 20 don't." months' sentence for manslaughter. The widow wrote: "I thought I read letters from the mother and must write you again to say baby and widow of the man he killed. myself are both well. I have met

The widow said: "I hope from several people lately who knew you the bottom of my heart you will be and appreciate your services." able to continue your good work among the sick."

but he pleaded in vain.

be crased. Watson was sentenced at Man- Watson said that he had no prichester Assizes in July for man-slaughter by killing a cyclist as he drove a car while under the influence doctor had offered him help.

Watson was before the Council in by the month. "I had visions of a coroner's in- May, 1936, following a conviction "You are, in effect, being asked the other lady. He said 'Yes."

cyclist turned into his path from the He produced a number of letters. "Have you been living with anyone?" wrong side of the road; he swerved | One from the Mayor of Wigan she was asked. The children screamed. They tight, and she held on to me, and I back wheel of one of the machines. He had had two small whiskies

"THE IRONY OF IT"

"I have come from prison to-day, and to prison I go back to-night," Watson said. "What my reactions will be in prison to-night-whether different from what they have been before-depends on you, gentlemen. "The irony of the thing is that the unfortunate person who was killed was a patient of my own. Since going to prison I have had letters from his wife and from his mother.

Mrs. Robey's Divorce Court Plea

Mrs. Ethel Wade, wife of George Robey, the comedian, recently ap-Mr. Bartley: You are not the father plied to Mr. Justice Langton, in the of the first or second?-Definitely Divorce Court, to have a decree nisi granted to her in April made abso-

The marriage took place in 1898

London.

Colonial Administration

School At Oxford

Colonial Administration will be held in 1940 is an-

nounced by the Oxford Society in the winter number

of their journal, "Oxford," published recently. It is

generally thought, state the Society, that it would be

a mistake to make the School an annual event.

Professor Coupland, with Miss Per- Governments,

THAT the University's next Summer School on

the Blameys followed him. Later he whatever in this allegation of rape? went to Australia for 2½ years, re—Absolutely none. Asked to tell what happened on with his brother in Birmingham. Asked to tell what happened on March 6, 1934, Dr. Jones, speaking of the brother in Birmingham. BROUGHT from prison to appeal write to me if they thought I was make the brother in Birmingham. BROUGHT from prison to appeal write to me if they thought I was make the brother in Birmingham. Whatever in this allegation of rape? Asked to tell what happened on March 6, 1934, Dr. Jones, speaking of the brother in Birmingham. Asked to tell what happened on March 6, 1934, Dr. Jones, speaking of the brother in Birmingham.

-Bigamy case Allegation

Said to have spent half the week with his wife and the other half with The doctor pleaded that to be struck off the register "can only be you are keeping very well. It must a woman ne is alleged to nave marjudgment for life," all be very trying to you, and I Crescent, Potters Bar, was recently a woman he is alleged to have maroffer you my sympathy. I am sure at Clerkenwell committed for trial The Council ordered his name to that, given an opportunity of begin- on a charge of bigamy,

Annie de la Bertauche, Allandale Crescent, said it was about two years ago that prisoner, whom she married at Islington in 1914, began spending only three days a week at home. He spoke of his 20 months' dis-When her husband was in hospital intention of leaving, but I stopped herself under a rallway train. She solicitor to the Council, said that hour, by the day, by the week, and quiries about him. "I asked him if it was true that he was married to Esther Parker, a cleaner of Liver-Watson told the Council that a for the same offence," he declared. | pool Road, Islington, was called.

"My husband, of course," was her reply, with a nod towards the dock.

"On certain days he goes to work all night," she explained.

SCIENTISTS' CANCER

campaign against cancer may passages, and the Medical Research be announced in the report on Council have recorded from time to their first four years' work to time that the research was proceedbe published by the Medical ing with encouraging results. Research Council in about a fortnight's time.

This was hinted recently by Sir William Bragg, president of the Chief Engineer of Ship At Royal Society, who declared that the research had proceeded "with no little success."

The three workers are Miss Constance A. P. Wood, radiotherapist, formerly research radiologist at King's College Hospital; Dr. T. Andon Dock at 3 a.m. on Wednesday. thony Green, assistant radiotherapist, who came to this country from New Zealand, and Mr. L. G. Grimmett, heard of since. His clothes and radium plant at Westminster Hos-

They have worked in co-operation with Dr. Roy Ward, medical director Research has been with a method

3-34 and 28-3-34, and were for £2 Studies Research Committee at Lady Vice-Chancellor of the warm support known to scientists as "beam Margaret Hall from June 27 to July accorded to the School by the Co- therapy," in which use is made of Mr. Roberts: In addition to your 8 last, under the chairmanship of ionial Office and the Colonial massive irradiation from a large quantity of radium. hum as vice-chairman. More than The sequence of lectures followed First experiments on these lines

attended, including 21 from Malaya Lugard. The background of world 21/2 grammes of radium from the Did you telephone her and ask her The session was opened by the Vice-Chancellor of the University H. D. Henderson, while Lord Lothian so discouraging that after 18 months and the Secretary of State for the spoke on India and Professor Gibb the experiment ended and the radium was distributed among hos-

they all have been actuated by mo- communities as self-supporting and Monsieur Marzorati with Belgian Paris scientists indicated the need for further experiment with mass quan-

IN a laboratory barely out of titles, and five years ago an inearshot of the Oxford Street restigation committee for Radium Beam Therapy was set up.

A large unit of radium was lent workers have laboured for five by Belgium, and work began with

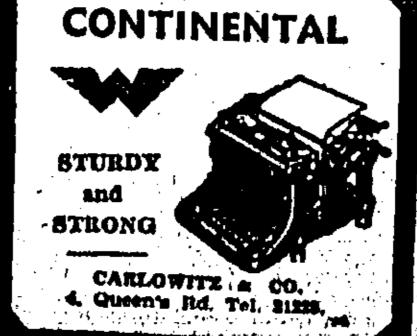
years to study the effect of two five gramme "bombs" of radium. massive quantities of radium on A year later another five gramme "bomb" was obtained. Attention was concentrated on the

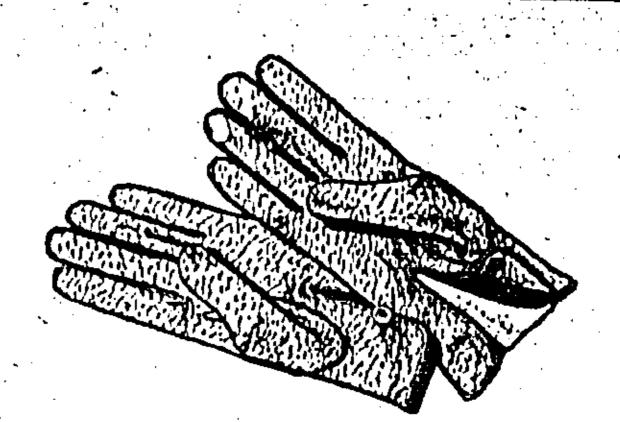
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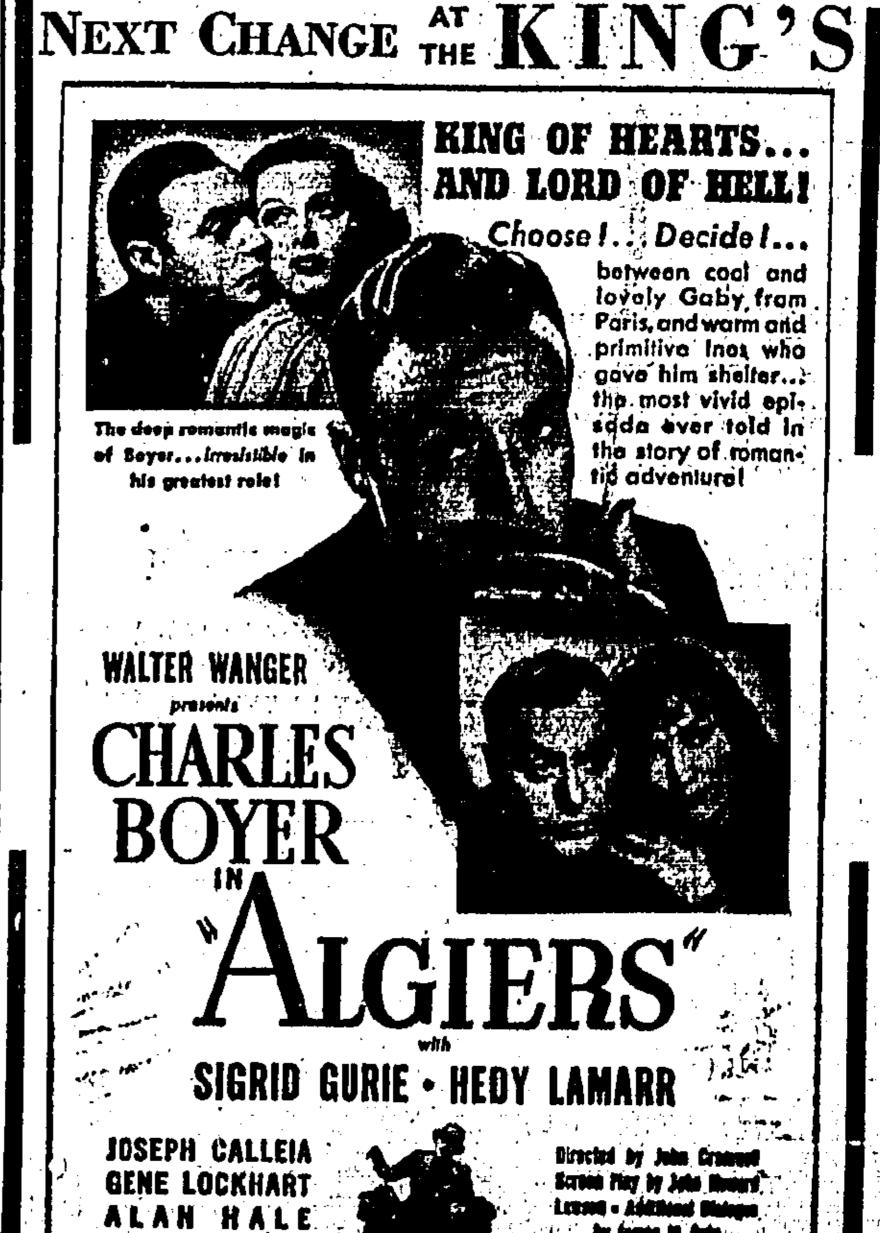
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WHAT A FINISH!-The poor chap in the middle is having a tough time getting through. The finish of one of the boys' races at the Children's Annual Sports held at the Kowloon Cricket Club on New Year's Day.—Photo by A. A. Kahn.

ARMSTRONG

HOAX

"Homicide" Henry Armstrong re-

yealed to-day why he caused the

postponement of his bout with

the over before. When he got back

to the pavilion, he maintained that

the ball was outside the leg stump

muttered something to the effect that

the umpire did not know what he

snooker?" I have elicited the offi-

man of the Billiards Association and

and all colours up to the black.

One More Attempt

Hogen, who is reputed to have

carned £50,000 during his 25 years'

golfing career, added that all he

the championship.

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Here And There With "Abe"-

Better Umpires Needed For Junior Cricket

W starting on Saturday, this is as to it that the people they send out Knowing he could not give a fight good a time as other to bring up a to take charge of a match know that would satisfy the fans, he "took expenses paid. "I think a fair repoint in connection with cricket something about the laws of the a couple of good heavy falls in front muneration for a five-weeks tour in malches in the Colony to which game. A little pain taken in this of several witnesses" to cause post- the States would be £2,000 clear," sufficient attention, I feel, has never matter at the start might save a great ponement of the bout.—United Press. been paid. I refer to the question of deal of embarrassment and even unumpires for our League matches, pleasantness later on. It is all very While many senior teams take the well to say that an umpire's decision trouble to bring along their own is final, but when one is given out umpires, few junior sides do; and by an umpire who obviously does not consequently the choice of officials in know much about the laws of cricket, junior games generally depends upon one cannot help doubting the correctwho is present on the ground when ness of the decision. an innings commences or what players are available to officiate—a Queer Decisions haphazard procedure which should not be allowed to continue in improved to continue in improved portant matches. Everyone will appund a junior cricket in the Colony and, the umpire was seen frantically is going to make a further upward

Captain's Duty

WITH the Junior League matches their own umpires or seeing with the Filipino "bolo puncher." at the time it hit his pads, and

preclate that it would be most realise how poor the standard of signalling a wide after the batsman jump. difficult for the League to supply umpires for every match; but at the same time, it is equally obvious to given by umpires who obviously same time, it is equally obvious to anybody who knows anything about the standard of umpiring in local junior games that something should be done in the matter. It is only a few examples of be done in the matter. It is only a few examples of the sort of thing which junior shots.

| Fall of wickets:—1 (Van Der Byl) and A. Ulrich 21-7; beat F. Castro and Rowan batted confidently. They are some very petulin obviously and Rowan batted confidently. They are first and A. Ulrich 21-7; beat F. Castro and Rowan batted confidently. They are first and Rowan batted fair to both batsmen and bowlers same "umpire" knew nothing else cricketers have to contend with here. that greater discrimination be shown except "middle stump" when a bats- All these would not have arisen if the man wanted his guard and was captains had shown greater dispoints are at stake.

completely mystified when "two-leg" crimination in the choice of umpires.

was -asked -for. Subsequently he Judging by the results-of -matches gave two men out leg-before-wicket played during the present season, while he was standing closer to mid- junior teams seem to be fairly evenly-THERE are many cricketers here on than to the stumps! There was matched and competition is certain so when he is invited to break into I and elsewhere who do not another instance of an umpire who to be very keen. In the circums- his routine for a job such as this believe in the League system. But gave a man not out in the following tances, extra care should be taken American trip, he takes the attitude the fact remains that we have a circumstances. A batsman jumped that decisions given are as fair as ... "My price is so-and-so. If you League competition in Hongkong, and out to hit a ball and missed it; the League competition in Hongkong, and beat the wicket-keeper and this being so, it is only right that it ball also beat the wicket-keeper and be conducted properly. I am not was deflected to first slip, who be conducted properly. I am not was deflected to first slip, who allowed to affect the result of any and the property. suggesting that the League should promptly threw down the wicket with League game. To avoid this, come forth now and appoint two the batsman still out of his crease. captains ought to pay a little more umpires for every official game. Of An appeal, of course, was made and attention to the question of umpires. course, this would be the best step the umpire's verdict was "Not Out." The trouble is worth it. to take, and one of these days per- His reason: the ball was dead! haps we will see it done; but at There was another classic example Snooker Record the present moment the next best of ignorance of the rules which thing would be for the captains proved extremely amusing at the TO settle all arguments regarding either to follow the foot-steps time to everyone except the batsman of the senior skippers by having who had been given out l.b.w. only

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As "The Pilgrim," our Hockey Correspondent, is on holiday, no Hockey Notes are being published to-day, nor for the next two Thursdays. "The Pilgrim's" next contribution will appear on Thursday, January 19.

Henry Cotton Asks £2,000 For Five Weeks' Golf Tour

(By Geoffrey Simpson)

London, Nov. 25. TATITH a new four-years contract with Ashridge Golf Club in his pocket, and the way clear for him to Although he had scored only 20 he travel abroad, Henry Cotton, the man of surprises, has given his fellow-professionals something else to bite on He is requesting a payment of £2,000 for his proposed

five-weeks tour of America. You can imagine them saying What! £2,000 for five weeks. Why

-that's £400 a week for playing

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golf. What a nerve he's got!" Even the American P.G.A., who are Ceferino Garcia of the Philippines now cabling Cotton offering to arrange a playing schedule for him, are liable to be surprised. In the The Negro welterweight and light- United States they are accustomed to weight champion said he knew he their sporting stars setting the pace was not in condition when he finish- in the matter of fees, but here is a

ed training for the welter title bout Britisher out-stripping them all. Moreover. Our Henry wants his

> "I shall be losing money, anyway, by not taking part in the carly British tournaments-and then there's my work at Ashridge."

ENVIOUS EYES.

There is no doubt that the spectacle was doing. His team-mates merely of Cotton pulling down £5,000 a year laughed, thinking that it was just the causes envious eyes to be cast from complaint of a disgruntled batsman; certain quarters. And the way

Money comes to him in other ways,

Do you blame him? I don't. And if some of those who are so ready to attack his assessment of himself would only stop to think, they would realise that Henry Cotton is doing Bout T NOTrealise that Henry Cotton is doing a great deal to raise the standard of the golf professional.

The Cotton methods pay: Though cial views of Mr. J. C. Bisset, chair- not at present the open champion, he carns more than any of his con-Control Council, writes Geoffrey temporaries.

He owns a house which cost He agrees that the maximum sos- £5,000, and eight acres of land. He sible under all normal circumstances is heavily insured, and by his attitude dock, former world heavyweight is 147, that being 15 reds, 15 blacks, towards those in search of his services he has evidently reached the "But it is just conceivable," he happy stage of being more or less pointed out, "that a player might financially independent.

And he is only 31.



Lieut, Skelion, who has been in fine hoped for was a "broak" in the played by the Navy this sesson, weather. "I'm bound to get one be- capecially in the Triangular Tourna-fore I put away my tools," he wild in ment. Photo by A. A. Kulin.

BADMINTON LEAGUE RESUMES

the Badminton League last evening.

F. H. Kwok and R. Beaven beat A. S. Bliss and J. Tomlinson 21-6, beat S. A. Broadbridge and F. H. Stokes 21-6, beat L. Gibson and S. Darby 21-10;

M. Smith and P. Wilson beat Bliss and Tomlinson 21-4, beat Broadbridge and

D. Kwok and S. Newman beat Bliss and Tomlinson 21-11, beat Broadbridge and Stokes 21-19, beat Gibson and Darby

K. TONG v. V.R.C.

Victoria Recreation Club beat Kow- of Farnes' second over, an out- Farmes loon Tong "B" by 5 games to 4. N. A. E. Mackay and A. Chan (K. scoring only one run. The total was Goddard 38 In a short while he starts a stage Tong "B") lost to T. Xavier and S. two. appearance at the London Coliseum A. Rumjahn 15-21; beat W. Fisher After this, however, Van Der Byl Verity at £300 a week. It will be a and A. Ulrich 21-7; beat F. Castro and Rowan batted confidently. They Fall of wickets:—1 (Van Der Byl)

john 13-21; beat Fisher and Ulrich and Rowan 38. If you want to play a round with 21-13; beat Castro and Arculli 21-12. Gibb, the Yorkshire and Cambridge him at Ashridge it costs you £2, A. E. H. Castro and J. Tang (K. player, kept wickets after the tea though I believe he accommodates Tong "B") lost to Xavier and Rum- adjournment as Ames had a sore club members at the cut rate of £1. jahn 3-21; lost to Fisher and Ulrich finger. 20-23; lost to Castro and Arculli 8-21,

BRADDOCK-HARVEY SETTLED

New York, Dec. 30. Tex Sullivan, speaking on behalf of Joe Gould, manager of Jimmy Brading whatsoever had been settled and nothing signed for the proposed contest between Jim Braddock and Len Harvey, the British champion.

van added, "demanding £5,000, free of tax, three return tickets and all expenses."

promoter, who is sponsoring the bout, s said to be consulting his Board of Directors to-day.

Mr. Armand Vincent, well-known

The fight, if all arrangements work Earl's Court in London either on May everything but put the ball into the out satisfactorily, will take place at 10 or 11. It is Mr. Vincent's intention to

match the winner with Tommy Farr, former holder of the British title. told the world of his retirement some months ago, after defeating Farr.

TEAM ANNOUNCED

ed to represent the "A" XI of the marksmanship of the Stanley team to-day.—Reuter. Hongkong Hockey Club against at King's Park at 5 p.m. on Friday, for the Brigade.

H. F. Shields; L. F. Stokes, W

"THE PILGRIM" TAKES AT CAPE TOWN

After the failure of the M.C.C. to dismiss the remaining South African wickets before lunch. yesterday, the Second Test, played at Cape Town, fizzled out into a tame draw.

In reply to the M.C.C. total of 559 for nine wickets declared, the South Africans made 286 in their first innings, and in the follow-on, they had scored 201 for two wickets when stumps were

Capetown, Jan. 4. The weather was glorious to-day when a crowd of only 500 saw Balaskas and Nourse resume the batting. The wicket was wearing slightly at the ends and promised to assist the spin bowlers, whom Hammond brought into action immediately.

Only one run had been added to the overnight score of 213 when Balaskas was caught at mid-off by Paynter off Verity's third over. had been very aggressive and hit

Verity, who had been bowling very accurately had an analysis at this stage of one wicket for four runs in seven overs, five of which were

Nourse reached his century in 242 minutes. including a six and nine fours. He then became most aggressive and sent several to the fence. At lunch the score was seven for 283. Nourse having compiled 120 and Melville, who was batting with a runner, 20, A crowd of 600 saw the resump-

tion of the game and early disaster for with the first ball Verity got Nourse leg before. The ball hit St. John's descated St. Andrew's Nourse's toe and he started to run B. Mitchell, b Wright 42 "B" by 9-0 in the "B" Division of for a leg-bye but the umpire upheld P. G. Van Der Byl, c Valentine, b Verity's appeal. Nourse had batted Verity 37 for 266 minutes to gather his 120 E. A. Rowan, b Wright and had hit a six and 12 fours. A. D. Nourse, l.b.w., b Verity 120 Grand cutting and driving marked A. W. Briscoe, 1.b.w., b Goddard

Melville was bowled by Verity for Goddard 23 and Gordon was stumped by X. Balaskas, c Paynter, b Verity 29 Ames from Goddard for a duck. A. Melville, b Verity Stokes 21-9, beat Gibson and Darby 21-1. The innings closed at 288 and South G. Gordon, st. Ames, b Goddard Africa followed on.

EARLY MISFORTUNE

The South Africans met with early misfortune in their second innings. Mitchell, who opened as usual with At Kowloon Tong last night, Van Der Byl, snicked the fourth ball swinger, into the honds of Ames after | Edrich

Van Der Byl was aggressive and N

reached his 50 in 91 minutes, having hit five fours. The 100 went up after the South I African innings had been in progress for 97 minutes. Rowan also completed his 50,

which had taken 103 minutes. At 140, a separation was effected, Van Der Byl having the misfortune to hit down his wicket whilst playing Goddard. He had scored 87 runs in 139 minutes, his best shots being a six and nine fours. Rowan and Nourse continued steadily until close of play, by which

Rowan's share was 69. He had

to 201:

time the South African total had risen Goddard 11 Hammond

Australians Reject M.C.C. Proposal

Melbourne, Dec. 29. The Cricket Board of Conto-day rejected the tro M.C.C.'s proposal to limit test matches in Australia to 30 hours. They welcomed, however, a suggestion to play fiveday matches against England.-

batted for three hours for his runs and hit seven fours. Nourse had 19.

M.C.C.

1st Inns. 359 (for 9 decld.) S. AFRICA-1ST INNS.

W. W. Wade, c Edrich, b Verity 10 The end came soon afterwards. A. B. C. Langton, l.b.w., b E. Q. Davies, not out

> Total 286 Bowling Analysis

Extras

S. AFRICA-2ND INNS.	
Altchell, c Ames, b Farnes Ann Der Byl, ht. wkt., b Goddard lowan, not out Yourse, not out Extras	87 89 19 5
Total (for 2 wkts.)	201
Fall of wickets:—1 (Mitchell) 2; 2 (Van Der Byl) for 149. BOWLING ANALYSIS	for
O. M. R. Farnes	W.

Royal Scots-Win Junior Shield Soccer Match

In a re-arranged Junior Shield soccer match at Sookunpoo-"We cabled yesterday," Mr. Sulli- yesterday, the Royal Scots' second eleven only just managed to scrape through against their Third Division opponents, 24th Battery, R.A., by the only goal of the match.

> the competion as they had more of Heap scored. the play than their opponents. However, they had only themselves to blame for not scoring goals; they did

The only goal scored in the match came within five minutes, of the commencement. In attempting to A sensation was caused when an clear, Minshull, the Gunners' goalnouncement of the bout was made in keeper, had the misfortune to knock London yesterday, as Braddock had the ball into the net when tackled by Hampshire defeated. Sussex by 14

> On the whole, the game was a rather dull affair.

LEAGUE TIES

Sinnley scored a comfortable victory at Happy Valley yesterday over 5th Brigade, R.A., in the "A" Section of the Third Division League by five goals to one. The game was tish Football League, Edinburgh, at fast and interesting, but the superior home, lost to Dundee United by 4-1 told in the end. Scorers were Wooldridge (3) and

UNIVERSITY BEATEN

As a matter of fact, the Gunners to the superiority of the Stonecutters were unlucky to be eliminated from team, for whom Ferris, Croft and

Easy Rugby Win For Hampshire

London, Jan. 4. Championship at Portsmouth to-day. points to nil.—Reuter.

EDINBURGH BEATEN ON OWN GROUND

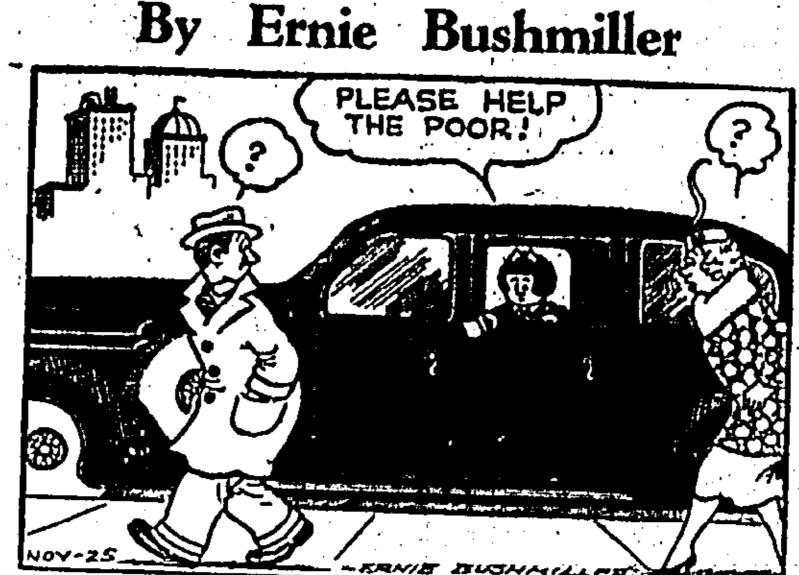
London, Jan. 4. In the second division of the Scot-

A meeting of the Hongkong Foot-The Stonecuttors W/S had little ball Association Council will be held (Capt.). A. H. Pontius; G. D. Woolgar, difficulty in beating the University in in the Association's rooms, the Bank W. Spencer, E. F. A. Morgan, R. A. the "B" section by three goals to all. of Canton, on Monday, January 9, The game was uninteresting owing at 5.80 p.m.

NANCY







FIRST-MINUTE SHOCK BEATS OXFORD

ANNUAL SOCCER MATCH FEATURED BY SPLENDID RALLY BY THE LOSERS

By Norman Ackland

'Oxford Univ. 3 Cambridge Univ.

London, Dec. 5. Oxford's fate was scaled in the inter-Varsity match at Dulwich when a miskick by Disney let Hollins through to score in the first minute.

By the time the Dark Blues had in a grand effort to save the match. recovered from this early shock they | Seaford scored from a scramble in Cambridge were well on top at the with a great shot.

the promise shown in earlier games | Subsequently both teams were obof the term. Davies put tremendous zest into his work at left-half, but Schofleld was not up to form and half, but Cambridge never looked

ly supported by his partner, Binch, and when he did get the ball could seldom beat Templer, who dis-covered how to stop him in last season's match—to drop back to cover instead of trying a deliberate tackle.

No praise could be too high for the

cohesive work of the Cambridge forwards. Lees was the only one who did not score, but he was continually making clever openings for his colleagues, who snapped them up quickly.

These forwards got most support from Beeson, who played the game of his life at right-half, and the defenders, inspired by the captain, Templer, all rose to the occasion splendldly,

For some time after Hollins' surprise goal the Oxford defence was at sixes and sevens. Lindley snapped up a through pass from Beeson to add to the lead, and from Lind-ley's corner-kick Goodyear gathered the ball, steadied himself and, taking deliberate aim, shot cleverly through n crowd of players.

DARK BLUES' EFFORT

Three goals down after half an hour's play, Oxford's cause seemed K. Way, 95-24=71, won. There were lost, but the match became thrilling twenty-two entries. in the extreme when the whole team pulled every ounce out of themselves

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"Now I can eat what I like," says one Overy. -"My appetite normal again," cries The 1st round to be played another—"Able to cat anything," claims January 27; second round announces yet another victim. And these | 28. The final to be arranged. are only a few of thousands of stomach sufferers -all so grateful for this relief, that they simply have to write.

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Powder, taken in time, stops your
stomach trouble getting serious—for, as
Junuary 27; second round by
Luke, W. L. McKenzie, R. A. J. Simpson,
you know, a neglected stomach may even
February 10; third round by February
Umpire, A. A. Dand.

So start on MACLEAN BRAND Powder sight away. Always MACLEAN on the bottle and parton.
Powder or tablets. If you have any Mounty in obtaining it from your local

were three goals down, and though the goal-mouth while Lowcock was they afterwards provided most of the excitement by staging a grand rally, the terrific effort involved left length of the field and, cutting in them a tired, disjointed side, and brilliantly, gave Lowcock no chance Directly after the interval Seaford

It was a thrilling if not a classic encounter, and the experiment of playing the match on a Saturday on an amateur club's ground was a distinct success—there were 8,000 speciators, compared with a little over 2,000 at Highbury last your Oxford's defence never realised Hollins a few minutes later.

Schofield was not up to form and there was a notable weakness at right-half, where Crompton had not the speed to cope with the lively Cambridge left wing.

After a shaky start Parry-Jones and Disney settled down to defend steadily, but with the men in front of them overplayed for long periods their task wha hopeless.

LOMAS WELL HELD

Individually, Sturdy and Seaford put in some splendid work, but as a line the Oxford forwards did not compare with the Cambridge attack. Lomas, generally regarded as the eleverest Oxford forward, was poorly supported by his partner, Binch, and when he did get the ball could seldom beat Templer, who dis-

NEW YEAR GOLFING RESULTS

The following were the results of competitions played in the New Year Meeting of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club at Fanling:

Mixed Bogey Pool, New Course .-Col. and Miss King, 2 up. won. There were ten entries, Bogey Par Pool, New Course.-H.

J. Armstrong (16), 2 up, won. There were twenty-two entries. Bogey Par Pool, Old Course.-L. C. F. Bellamy (22), 3 up, won. J. Stenersen (15), all square, won second prize on the last nine holes

from A. E. Lissaman (3), also all square. There were 58 entries. Medal Round, Old Course.-R. G.

LADIES TOURNAMENTS

Draw for Captain's Cup (1938) And Club Championship

The draw for the Captain's Cup (1938) Competition of the Ladies Section, the Royal Hongkong Golf How glorious to be able to set-to with a Club, resulted as follows:

will to your favourite delicacies, meal after meal, day after day—with no fear of after-effects!

Mrs. Hillier v. Mrs. Shewan; Mrs. The following will represent the Hong-of after-effects!

To many stomach sufferers, such pleasure will seem an impossible dream. But you can make it come true—easily, inexpensively, safely, as the writers of these letters have done; Mrs. Piercy v. Mrs. Moodward v. Mrs. Woodward v. Mrs. Woodward v. Mrs. Overv.

Mrs. Hillier v. Mrs. Shewan; Mrs. Chissidy V. Mrs. Collis v. Mrs. Collis v. Mrs. Collis v. Miss. Glendinning; Mrs. Collis v. Miss. Glendinning; Mrs. Williams v. Mrs. Morrison; Mrs. Stewart v. Mrs. Mrs. Diercy v. Mrs. Mrs. Diercy v. Mrs. Machine, D. Hung, C. J. L. Youngsaye and F. R. Zim-mern.

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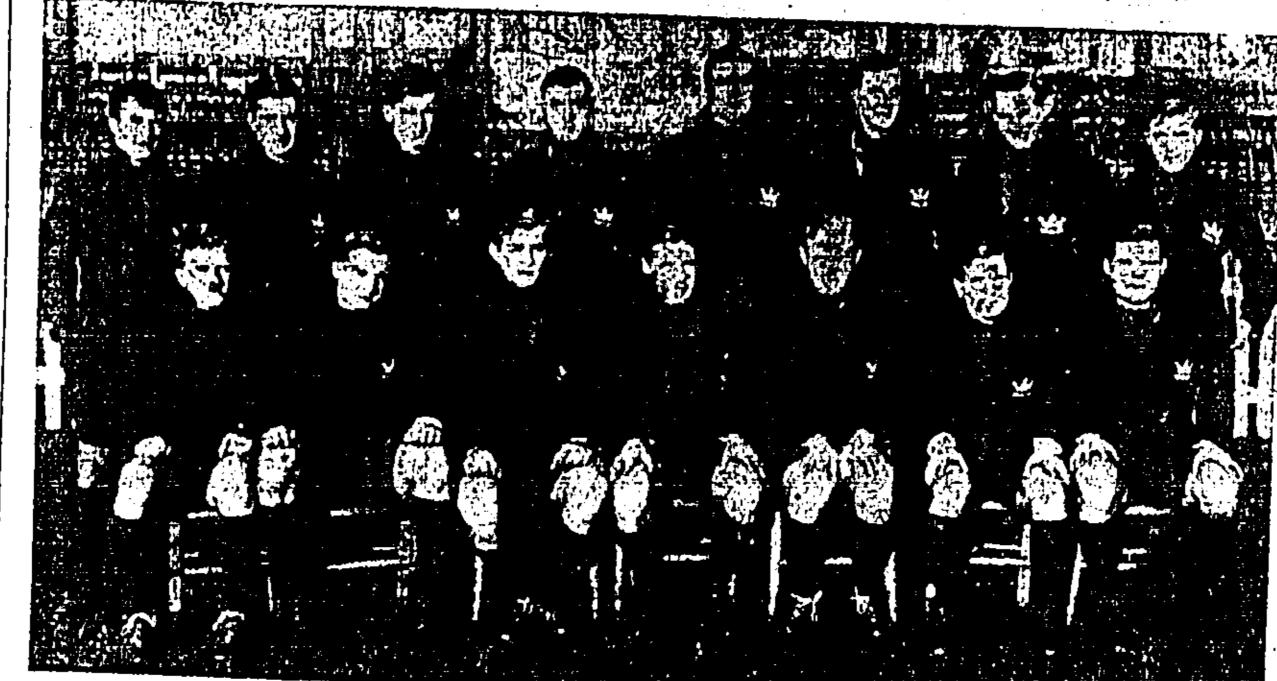
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The 1st round to be played by a third-" First good meal for months," February 10; third round by February

Club Championalilp The following is the draw for the and A. N. Other, Club Championship (1939); Mrs. Mackenzie v. Mrs. Woodward; present Rowloon Cricket Club on Satur-

Sydney, Jan. 4. in the Sheffeld Stield sime by sight Club early in the first half and S. Sollis and Thomas, while Stewart lands, B. H. Khan 19 11 et Arculif P. O. Box 755, Hong Kong. R8450 N.S.W. 214 and 304. Rester.

RUGBY TEAMS IN RECENT



Above is the Oxford XV which lost to Cambridge at Twickenham recently in the annual inter-University rugger match. Left to right, at back: G. A. Hollis, H. Muller, I. W. Sutherland, T. J. Cowen, P. C. Phillips, S. Pether, W. M. Jackson, T. R. Thomas. Scated: H. R. G. Percy, H. H. Pennington, R. M. Marshall, H. D. Freakes (captain), D. G. G. Coles, I. H. Watts, R. E. Luyt.



THE CAMBRIDGE XV.-According to custom, only the new Blues are wearing their caps. Left to right, at back: P. Sherrard, M. Dods, J. H. Steeds. Second row: R. L. Geddes, C. L. Newton-Thompson, P. A. R. Lindsay, F. J. Leishman, J. C. Swanson. Scated: T. R. Parry, J. G. S. Forrest, W. O. Chadwick (captain), R. B. Bruce-Lockhart, K. D. Downes. In front: J. Parsons, T. R. Juckes.

WEEK-END CRICKET ELEVENS

Recrelo 1st XI The Club de Recreio 1st XI against the Civil Service C.C. at King's Park will be represented by the following:
A. M. Rodrigues (Capt.), N. Beltrao, J. Gonsalves, E. L. Gosano, L. G. Gosano, H. L. Ozorio, A. M. Prata, W. A. Reed, P. M. N. da Silva, Jr., E. M. L. Soares

Kowloon Teams The following have been chosen to re-Mrs. Whyte-Smith v. Mrs. Cassidy;
Mrs. Hillier v. Mrs. Redmond; Mrs.
Gilmore v. Mrs. A. B. Thomson; Mrs.
Henry v. Mrs. Lissaman; Mrs.
Davies, E. F. Fincher, R. E. Lee, N. D.
How Ring.

Mrs. Hillier v. Mrs. A. B. Thomson; Mrs.
H. T. Broadbridge, G. C. Hurnett, G. G.
H. T. Broadbridge, G. C. Hurnett, G. G.
H. T. Broadbridge, G. C. Hurnett, G. G.
Hanney v. Mrs. Lissaman; Mrs.
Lloyd, N. A. E. Mackay, G. A. White, C.

Walker.

Second v. Indiana (league) at Sookun-poo,—W. Mulcany (captain), F. A. Broad-bridge, H. Brokenshira, R. Baldwin, B. A.

HOCKEY MATCH

the Navy 2-0 at King's Park yester. the interval. the or state with to Banker & Co. wickels. Queenland 200 and 279-2; Fowler increased the lead in the late. got the Child's points late in the late out white the lead in the late.

KID BERG TO FIGHT ARMSTRONG

not have a crack at the title.

game played on the Club ground yes. kets. The scores were: terday, the Navy winning by 0-6 The Hongkong Hockey Club beat after leading by six points to all at Arculli 4 for 13, S. K. Rhan 8 for

SQUASH TOURNEY TO BE HELD

It is proposed to hold a squash tournament commencing on January 16, and concluding on February 16

Entries, which must be accom-"I discussed the possibility of panied by a fee of \$1, will be resuch a match yesterday with General ceived by the Assistant Hon. Secre-J. J. Phelan, of the New York State tary, Cricket Club Pavillon, Chater Athletic Commission, and he told me Road, up to 4 p.m. on January 11, he saw no reason why Jack should and the draw will be published in the local press on January 14.

"I believe that he will not only | Matches will be the best of five get the fight, but that he will bent games, and up to the semi-finals may Armstrong. Berg, is going great be played on any courts in the guns now, and he has got the right Colony. The semi-finals and final style to defeat the Negro, because to will be played on the Club No. 1

SCHOOLS' MATCH

Playing at the Indian Recreation Club yesterday, the Ellis Kudoorie A Navy XV proved too strong for Indian School beat the Diocesan the Club "A" in a friendly rugger Boys' School 2nd XI by three wie-

GOLFERS!

COTTON

WRITES:-

IT HAS TAKEN MANY MONTHS TO PERFECT THESE CLUBS, BUILT TO MY MODEL, BUT WE ARE PROUD TO PRE-SENT THEM AS THE LAST WORD IN THE GOLF CLUB MAKER'S ART.

HENRY COTTON AUTOGRAPH WOOD CLUBS

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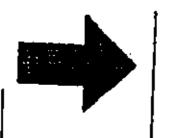
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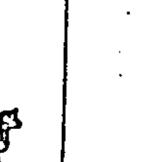


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they are the newest shoulder line



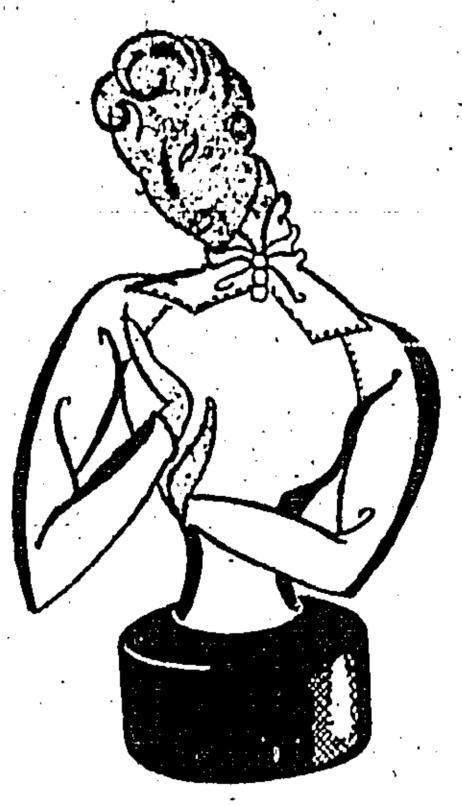
Yokes appear on everything this near-coats, frocks, jersens, and particularly blouses. They are becoming, make a shoulder fit well. This one is straight-forward - diagonal pin-tucks, carried right on over the sleeves, making a checkerboard yoke on a white satin blouse.



Deep circular tucks run from shoulder to shoulder of this burguidy red crepe blouse. (These rounded tines are good if you are slim.) The blouse is burgundy red, the stitching the tucks pale cyclamen Stitched tucks on above-theelbow sleeves follow the same line as the noke.



More dressy idea for an afternoon blouse. This is a heavy violet silk with full magyar sleeves, wide cuffed. It fastens up the front with a strip of deep crimson embroidery, and the same embroidery makes a scalloped yoke. The yoke is plain, the rest of the blouse panelled, with a scam running from each scattop.



Tailored cut on a jersey blouse. This has ragian sleeves, cut in on a slant to the neck. The pointed yoke runs out on the shoulder, ends in a high stock neck-line, fastened with three buttons. Edges of the yoke are stitched with a tinsel thread. Blouse fits tightly into a narrow waist.

Beautiful Hands

VIGLY hands will often spoil a pretty face. This may sound far-fetched, but it is true. They may quite possibly take the illusion out of a charming personality. Here, therefore, are a few hints on how to deal with hand troubles.

One of the commonest troubles is redness. This may be due either to bad circulation or to woefully bad washing and drying. Anyway, the following tips will help both causes. An invaluable exercise for the hands is to move all the fingers vigorously as if typing. Do it until the hands are tired, then rest and do some more. Incidentally, this also makes the hands supple, which is another beauty point to be nimed at. To vary the above exercise, tap the fingers briskly on a table, again as if typing. This brings the blood to the hands and finger-tips.

If you feel that you are wasting your time in doing these things, then do them while you are listening-in to a wireless programme, or even reading. It is quite easy, and you can adopt the same time-saving procedure for any of the following ideas.

After Washing

As regards washing, lather and rub and wash the hands well to get all the dirt out, then wipe absolutely dry, rubbing briskly with the towel to get the blood moving. Then make it a habit to apply a little handlotion after each wash, to prevent roughness and wrinkles. Find a good feeding lotion and rub in energetleally. Keep some lotion handy by both wash-basin and sink. If your hands are in a very had state, do the following as an extra treatment until they show improvement. Rub olive oil generously into fingers and hands, wipe off most of it,

then wash well with a super-fatted soap and finish with hand-lotion. In any case, and particularly if your hands show a tendency to serngginess, it is good to give the hands a periodical "feed." Use a good feeding cream and rub it in to

every part of the hands. Wipe off

most of it, put on some loose gloves.

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makes this charming

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This puts a glossy skin on the lino-

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drops of ammonia and the grate or

firebars will acquire a brilliant and

insting polish.

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A paraffin duster lifts dust and Vovening gowns. You can look instener down one side. On the

strapless shoulder line is stylish.

paraffin and hang up for two days made of some soft clinging material, small lace shoulder cape.

evening fashions.

this solution and polish with a dry and low necklines, and of course, the front.

Evening

WARIETY is the spice of the new phasised waistline with a zipp-

has a very null akirt, and an emilities dress material helps to so-

pleated dress to wear on a

morning walk in the country.

Clengarry

before using. When soiled wash out or you can adopt the corsetted waist-

and go to bed like that. For Large Knuckles

Protruding knuckles should have a somewhat similar treatment. Keeping each finger tout, rub some feeding cream into each knuckle. The best way is to hold each knuckle joint between finger and thumb of the other hand and to tap and press by opening and shutting the two gripping angers.

All these treatments, by the way, will also help to keep rheumatism

and chilblains at bay. Look to your nails also. If they are in bad condition, either Hable to, break or become ridged; soak them periodically in some hot olive oil, then wipe off only superfluous fat, and go to bed with loose gloves on them. This feeds and strengthens

Never forget to push the skin down at the base of the nail every time you wash your hands.

We cannot all have naturally beautiful hands, but we can do much to help them in that direction. Anne Morne

William Maching Ilinoloum, Mac. drying anoth which that been leather hand-bers.



WEEK-END away in the winter makes a grand break, but if you are in your 'teens or early twenties the worrying thought may crop up " what clothes shall I need?"

This week I am giving two general utility dresses that will put you right on top of the world, as they will carry you over your winter week-end visiting with the greatest of ease.

When you are young you must needs study the pennics, so I have modelled these frocks with material that is just round about two shillings a yard, and yet is up to the minute of fashion.

Just think how attractive the frock on the left of the sketch, No. 1205, would look in velvet. An afternoon dress in this fabric looks good all the time; it is

practical, yet has an expensive air. I suggest ring velvet for this.

For the fashionable redhead

there is a deep laurel green, sapphire blue, mulberry or black. The baby blonde will look charming in sea blue, geranium red, dahlla or jade green.

Brunettes should choose claret red, dragonfly green or a golden brown. All sensible colours, you'll notice, that do not soll quickly. A simply cut and easy-to-make

style with alternative sleeves, one fitting to wrist and the second short and squared at shoulder. The bodice has the fashionable yoke line attractively eased, and a

1206

neat fitting skirt. On the right is just the very frock, No. 1206, to wear under your cont if you are off for a spin in the car or for a Sunday morning walk in the country.

if you like a short sleeve. Glengarry checks are the latest news in patterned designs, and I have had this practical frock design-

ed in this type of material. makes woodwork shine in one opera- denturely Victorian in a crinoline, or corsage is a cluster of pink roses, centuate the whistline, and the tion. Choose a soft duster, dip it in be stately and tall in a draped dress and over the gown is worn a dainty sleeves are long and light-fitting.

Striking colour contrasts are fea- WHEN decorative buttons on a in hot soapy water and re-dip as line and wide, flared skirt which add tured in many of the gowns shown, W blouse or frock begin to look a line rest to many of the season's for instance, bright purple is effect little shabby or rubbed, give them overland fashions. tively allied with magenta, and a a coat of colourless varnish from

paintwork gleam, slice two large of materials and colours, and around the graceful neckline with them up.

There is practically no limit to the cyclamen pink dress is trimmed your manicure set. This freshens onlong and boil in a pan till soft, make down and bottle. Wipe the meklines have, perhaps, never been dark blue and finished with a huge.

There is practically no limit to the cyclamen pink dress is trimmed your manicure set. This freshens are high and finished with a huge. When washing net or lace curtains need to be a finished with a huge with a paint with, a soft cloth wrung out of so individualistic. There are high dark blue and pink bow on the add one tablespoonful of flour to the longer and hang better.

Among the new styles, most of Among the afternoon gowns is a After mending men's woollen socks White shoe cream is excellent for which are of Paris inspiration, is a charming short-skirted dress in grey shake a little boracic powder in) the preserving and polishing skin or beautiful black gown similar to one Jersey lame with a cowl neckline soles. This makes them much more leastiful black gown similar to one Jersey lame with a cowl neckline soles. This makes them much more beautiful black gown similar to one Jersey lame with a cowl neckline soles. This makes them much more beautiful black gown similar to one Jersey lame with a cowl neckline soles. This makes them much more beautiful black gown similar to one Jersey lame with a cowl neckline soles. This makes them much more beautiful black gown similar to one Jersey lame with a cowl neckline soles. This makes them much more beautiful black gown similar to one Jersey lame with a cowl neckline soles. This makes them much more beautiful black gown similar to one Jersey lame with a cowl neckline soles. This makes them much more beautiful black gown similar to one Jersey lame with a cowl neckline soles. This makes them much more beautiful black gown similar to one Jersey lame with a cowl neckline soles.

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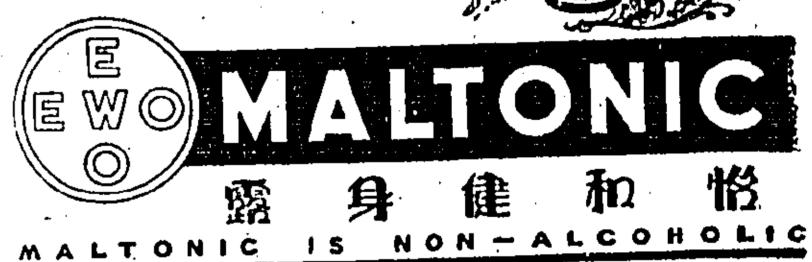
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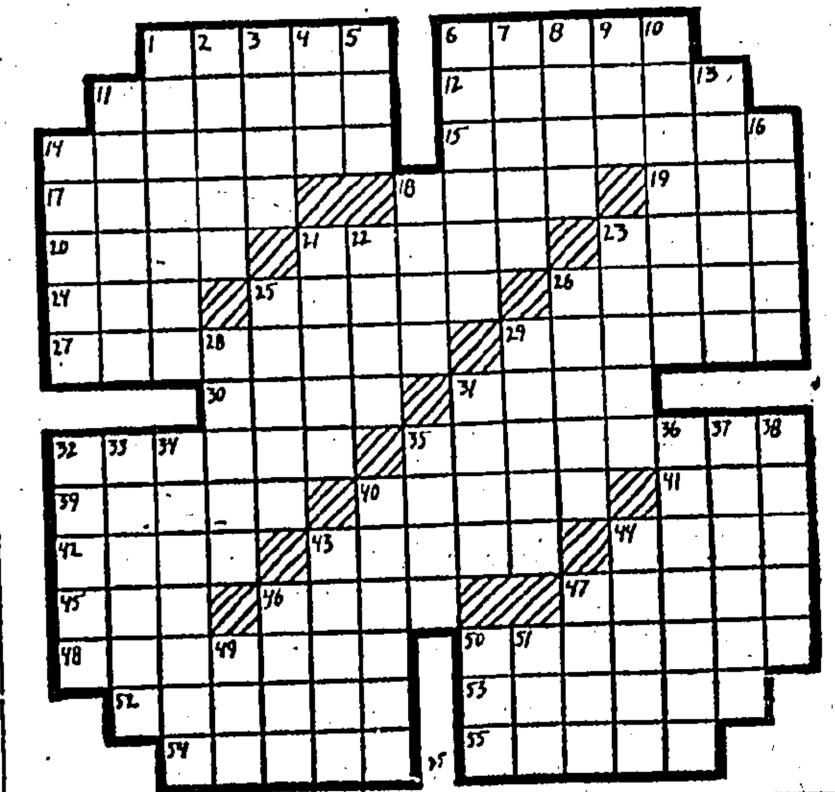
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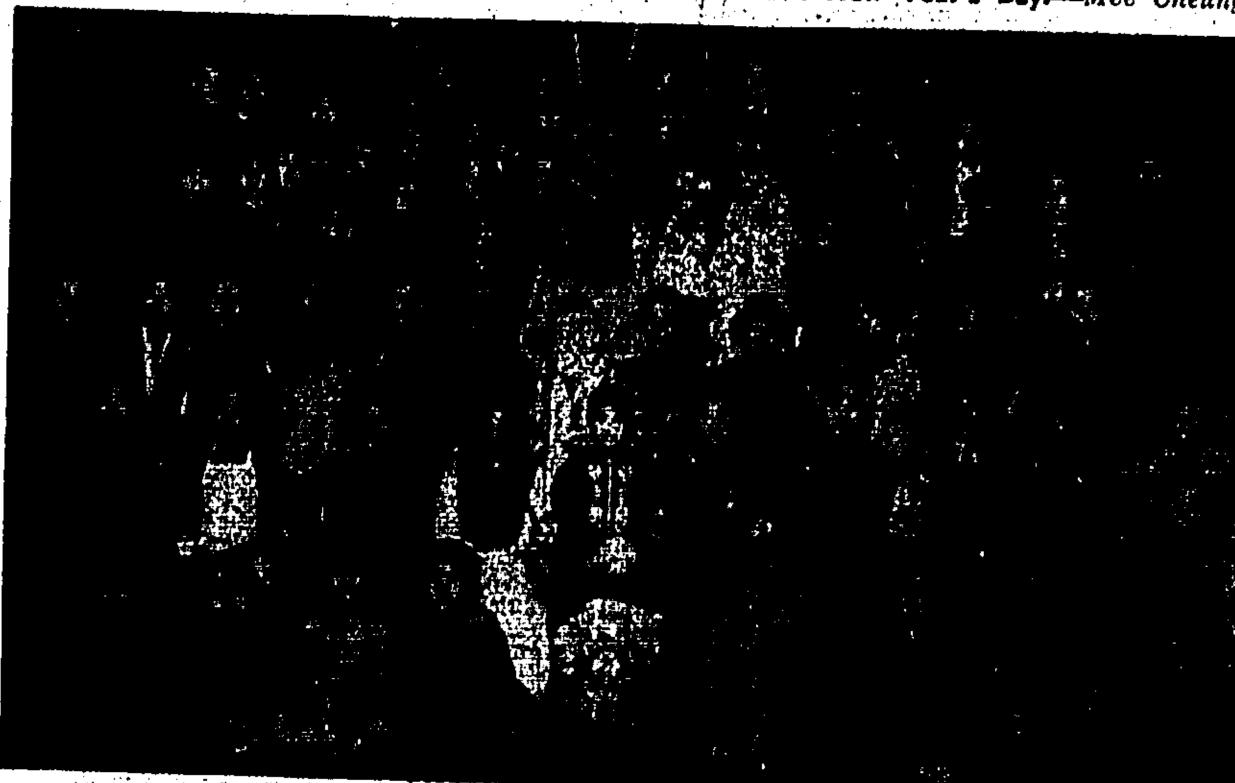
Group photograph of the H.M.S. Medway party who gathered at the Hongkong Hotel recently. -King's Studio.



Father Christmas arrives at the Civil Service Cricket Club Christmas Party.—Staff Photographer.



Group photograph taken at the Police Recreation Club on New Year's Day .-- Mee Cheung.



The Y.W.C.A. Girls' Club at their recent Fancy Dress party .- King's Studio.

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DEFENDING THIS EMPIRE

(Continued from Page 6.) Colonies "ist nicht aktuel." That is the German way of saying that the question is "not now" timely.

RASED ON LIBERTY, democracy and freedom, the British Commonwealth may be a loosely-joined Empire in the eyes of some foreigners, but when danger signals fly, it always has, and will again close up into one solidly united front. Monday, Jan. 8: Discussion Group Napoleon fought England for at 9 p.m. Professor Lantenschlager up into one solidly united front. week are notified as follows: eight years. He died a British on "Christ and present world issues." prisoner on the Island of St. Monday, Jan. 9: Whist Drive at 0 p.m.

Substituting the words "you must follow a policy" for "you badminton at 8 p.m. Women's Section, charity sewing bee at 10 a.m.; must retire within territories," must retire within territories,"
Mr. Chamberlain might well have said to Adolf Hitler in Thursday, Jan. 11: Women's Section, Badminton all day.

Thursday, Jan. 12: Women's Sec-Munich what the Austrian Count tion, competitive games morning at Metternich said to the Emperor 10 a.m. Napoleon in the latter's Head- Friday, Jan. 13: Women's Secquarters in Dresden on June tion, Bridge Class and Practice Play of 1919 after the terrible re- at 10 a.m.; badminton at 8.30 p.m. treat from Moscow of Napoleon with the remnants of his Grand Army. Metternich said:

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the Great War. The vessels due to be launched in

i	IDGD HIE.			Displa	acement
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All the above are combatant ships, and the total of launchings in the coming year does not include a considerable number of auxiliary craft such as boom defence vessels, motor torpedo-boats, depot ships and tugs.

FIFTY 14-IN GUNS

The first important vessels to go affont will be the battleship King George V., which the King is launch on Tyneside on Feb. 21. sister ship, Prince of Wales, will take the water at Birkenhead in March. and during the summer and autumn three more vessels of the same class -Anson, Jellicoe and Beatty-will be launched at Clydebank, Wallsend-

on-Tyne and Govan respectively. These five units, the largest and most strongly armoured battleships ever built in Britain, will reinforce the gun-power of the Fleet by 50 14in guns of a new and most powerful type. With a designed speed of 30 knots, they will be among the

world's fastest buttleships. launched are the Illustrious, Victorious, and Formidable, each of 23,000 | the question of the Spanish I roblem. tons. They are the largest carriers | -Trans-Occan. so far built for the Royal Navy. The first is building at Barrow-in-Furness, the second on the Tyne, and the third at Belfast.

NEW TYPE CRUISERS

The five large cruisers to be put afloat are the Fijl, Kenya, Mauritius, 1 Nigeria, and Trinidad, representing a new type of 8,000 tons and 33 knots | the formation of a new Government, speed, armed with 12 6in. guns.

1930 programme are Dido, Euryalus, plete the Cabinet by Thursday. Nalad, Phoebe, Sirius, Bonaventure | Baron Hiranuma had conversations and Hermione. They, too, form an with various personalities this even-during the crisis was the subject of entirely new class, 5,450 tons, with log, including the out-going Premier. during the crisis was the subject of the crisis was the crisis was the subject of the crisis was the critical was the crisis was the crisis was the crisis was the critical was the a speed of 33 knots. The armament | Prince Konoye. is unique, consisting as it does of 10 5.2in guns, a new model credited with a rate of fire of 14 rounds a

Of the 11 destroyers eight are of the Laforey class, understood to be ocean-going craft, and most of the sloops are escort vessels heavily. armed with anti-aircraft guns.

Even when the 45 ships enumerated are in the water, many others will remain on the stocks. These will include two 40,000-ton battleships, four heavy and three light cruisers, and numerous smaller craft, without counting the battleships, cruisers, destroyers and submarines to be provided for in the 1939 Navy Estimales.

Sea Hero "Jumped Into Jaws Of Death"

Lowestoft. TORITAIN'S bravest deed re-D cently was performed by a Lowestoft workman, father of nine children.

The hero was William Eade. He and William Cunningham were working on sen defence work at Pakefield, Lowestoft, when they heard cries for help, and saw a woman struggling in the water, which a gale was driving in huge waves against the sea wall. jumped over the wall into the breakers.

He reached the woman, grasped i

the steps, against the wall, and one of his legs highways in the outskirts of Tsengwas injured.

WITNESSES' TRIBUTE

sen and helped Eade and the woman, ing. a hill in the neighbourhood of Mrs. Hahn, who is 31, was convictwho was unconscious, to the shore. the city. Over 90 casualties were Leathley, aged 57, of Pella, St. An- Central News. nes-on-Sea, a patient in a nursing home here.

"Rade jumped into the laws of death/ an eye-witness said. "He ran the double danger of being! drowned and being battered to pleces against the walt."

Premier Cuts Vacation

Unexpected Action Linked With Spain Situation?

- .. London, Jan. 4... Mr. Neville Chamberlain and Viscount Hailfax unexpectedly decided this morning to return to London. Originally the return of the Prime Minister and Foreign Minister was scheduled for the week-end.

Official quarters are anxious to emphasise that the return of the two Ministers from the country is due to of young talent. worsening of weather conditions. The Prime Minister's office denied

the return of the Ministers, and de- balcony scene. spite an authoritative statement that In the same setting, in subdued no Cabinet meeting is contemplated. light and on an improvised bier, was political observers are attaching seen golden-haired Pauline Allen major importance to the unexpected dying most realistically in the potion return of Mr. Chamberlain and Vis- scene. count Halifax, since the Prime fore their journey to Rome.

are inclined to believe that questions concerning the British attitude to- and I've been a student of the wards the Spanish and Mediter- academy for only 11 weeks. It's rancan problems, which have assum- wonderful to have won the cup so ed a more cenercte form within the goon." last few days, has induced the Minlsters to return at on earlier date.

Increasing attention is being paid if she knew what to do with every in London to the Spanish question, syllable, Leonora added: since it is believed the military London is revising its Spanish policy. ducer's cup. I had never thought Mr. Chamberlain within the last few know what to think about them until days to announce at fast the subject Air. Korda has seen me. I have such of the impending Rome conversa- a lot to learn yet." The three aircraft carriers to be tions, and to reveal the attitude he intends to take towards Mussolini in

New Japanese Cabinet

TOKYO, Jan. 4. BARON HIRANUMA, who has been entrusted by the Emperor with announced to press correspondents The seven smaller cruisers in the this evening that he hoped to com-

a question at a press reception whether Prince Konoye would accept a post in the new Government.

of a very large and powerful type. Harumichi Tanabe, to be chief secre- all local authorities so that they could All the new submarines are big tary of the new Cabinet. It is be- proceed at once. lieved that Mr. Tanabe will advise the Premier regarding the formation of the Cabinet, generally.

Well-informed political circles believe that the new Cabinet will be composed of approximately as fol- held up throughout the country pend-

Foreign Minister ... Mr. H. Arita Minister for Interior. ... Mr. K. Minister for Finance....Mr. S.

Ishiwatari Minister for War....Gen. S.

Itagaki Minister for Marine Admiral steel arches could be maintained Young

Minister for Education Baron S. Araki Minister For Overseas....Mr. Y.

The portfolios of Agriculture, Comwell-known politicians and economic leaders, including leaders of the two majority parties .- Trans-Ocean.

Grim Street Battle In Tsengshing

Yungyun, Jan. 5. Grim street fighting roged Tsengshing, 35 miles north-east of Canton, on Monday morning, when Government responsibility. Chinese troops blasted their way into the war-torn city through the north gate, according to military reports. casualties in the face of the fierco Chinese onslaught and were thrown Ende pulled off his thigh boots, into a precarious position. However, tled a rope round his waist, and the timely arrival of heavy Japanese reinforcements from Canton and

Shektan, saved the situation. Under the terrific bombardment of the her, and fought his way back to the Japanese the Chinese later withdrew from the city. They wrecked Time after time he was dashed all bridges and heavily damaged the

Cunningham then jumped into the surrounded 200 Japanese at Shetaul- her eyes to a blind priest or nun. The woman was Mrs. Ethel inflicted on the Japanese there nged 78.

(of To-morrow) IS BORN

If that famous old London theatre the Victoria Palace is burned down to its foundations—you may ascribe It to spontaneous combustion.

There was such an outpouring there recently of youthful ambition and talent that spectators were afraid to strike a match. Nearly a thousand youths and girls gathered for the annual prize-giving of the London Academy of Music and Dramatic Art and performed their prize

"pleces." There were more than 500 separate prize-givings by Mr. Leslie Banks. But the chief prize-giving was to dark, intense, inspired Leonora Stone, 17-years-old daughter of a Sutton, Surrey, Civil Servant.

She had won the great silver cup presented for the first time this year by Mr. Alexander Korda, the film producer, to encourage the discovery

BORN TO THE ROLE Against the painted baronial half remours of a Cabinet meeting this where the Lambeth Walk is frolicked week, or of a meeting of the inner every night students gave two "Juliets". Tall Una Wayne, her datk Despite the official reason given for hair cut in a deep fringe, did the

Then all the lights were turned on Minister a few days ago stated that and Leonora Stone, a serious little he would have ample opportunity of person in a shortish blue velvet dress meeting the Foreign Secretary be- decorated with gold cords, walked on to receive the Korda cup-and there Political circles here, therefore, was "Juliet," born to the role. Leonora said "I left school in July,

> PREFERS SHAKESPEARE Then in a cool, precise voice, as

"I want to do serious things in the operations have entered a decisive theatre-like Shakespeare. Funny stage. According to all indications, that I should win a great film pro-Various quarters have appealed to about the films. And I still will not

> Leonora has two idols among the star actresses-Peggy Ashcroft and Vivlen Leigh. She must have seen both a great many times, for, consclously or otherwise, she speaks and moves with a mixture of both their

Standard Plan For A.R.P. Trenches

The future of A.R.P. trenches dug a statement by Sir John Anderson,

A standard plan, with general specification and bill of quantities, The new Premier has appointed the | had been prepared, he said, and he former Governor of Osaka, Mr. was communicating immediately with

If they carried out the work according to this plan expenditure would rank for a grant. The work of making the trenches

permanent and weatherproof has been ing the Government's decision. Use of steel and concrete has been approved in the standard specification for making the shelters permanent. Inquiries in the steel industry have been made and the Home Office has been assured that necessary supplies of corrugated, bituminised sheets and

without interference with the steel Minister for Justice....Mr. S. requirements of the rearmament pro-CHILDREN FIRST Government proposals for civillan evacuation in time of war will put the protection of children first.

They are to be evacuated school by merce, Communications and Railways school, with their teachers, and plans are expected to be offered to various are being devised to continue their education in the centres of safety where they will be accommodated. This was the principal point made by three Cabinet Ministers recently at a private conference which was attended by about 50 representatives of local authorities and teachers' organisations.

The Ministry of Health will be the executive department in charge of evacuation, and Mr. Faller Elliot, the Minister, has already appointed an in | "Evacuation Division." The cost of evacuation will be a

CENTENCED to die in the electric ... While the attack on Tsengshing D chair at Cincinnati, Ohlo, on was going on, another Chinese unit | Wednesday, Mrs. Anna Hahn offered ed of polsoning Richard Wagner,

The prosecution also linked her name with 11 other murders. SON PLEADS Hahn's 15-years-old son,

Oscar, visited her in Ohio State Prison. He pleaded for five minutes with the Governor's secretary later for clemency for his mother.

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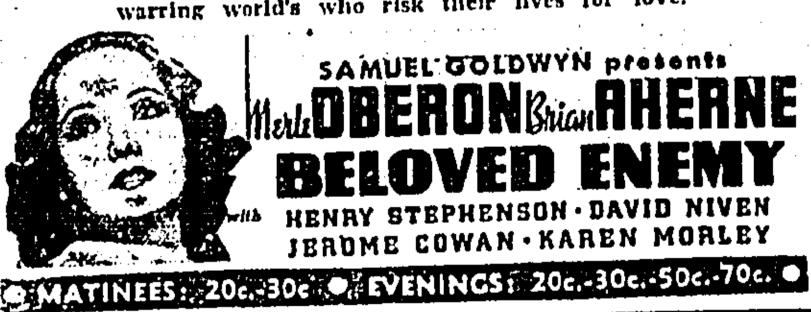
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Baron Hiranuma declined to answer | Lord Privy Seal, in the Commons | A GREAT COMEDY! KEEPS YOU IN CONSTANT LAUGHTER! A fighting tree-climbing, scheming, wild woman in the



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MURDER CHARGE

Crown Witness Accused birthday—he thought. He drank a tonst to himself all alone. The fol-From the Dock

lowing day ho was both surprised and When the prosecution's case in a chagrined when his relatives descendmurder charge against two men ed en masse. A check of the family named Chan Yeung, 30, and Tse Bible disclosed he had celebrated a Chun, 24, concluded before Mr. day too early.

Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, Chan testified that he and Tse had been falsely necused and that he believed the ence that he and the second defen-Crown's principal witness and an- dant were not even on the scope of other man were responsible for the the murder. They set out with the

East Indies.

Mr. E. H. Williams, Crown Counsel, assisted by Det.-Inspector A. E. It will be remembered that Chan money he had borrowed, Chan Young Carey, was in charge of the case. Chun, the prosecution's principal stated: "If I ever asked Wong Kwalwitness, said at a previous hearing fong for the money or threw stones that he had actually seen the two at him, let me be struck, down by defendants throwing big and small, rocks at the deceased who was bath-

was the only eye-withess. Following formal police evidence Both men were committed to the yesterday, Chan Yeung said in evid- next Criminal Sessions, it

The defendants were alleged to side for a bath on December 1, but have murdered a man named Wong left the party before the destination Kwai-fong on a hillside above Taipo was reached. He believed that Chan Road on December 1 by throwing Chun and another man named Tang rocks at him. The three men were Lau-mul were responsible for the returned emigrants from the Dutch murder. The blame was shifted on him and the second defendant.

Birthday Gloom: Early

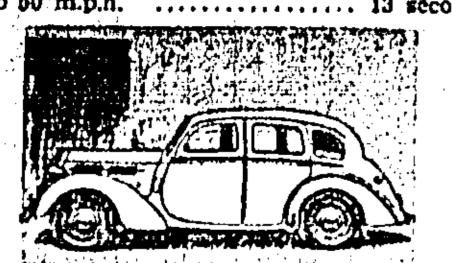
Peter Gibson spent a gloomy 72nd

Standish, Mich.

Referring to his allegedly having asked the deceased to return him

The second defendant said he did ing in a stream on the hill. Chan not wish either to testify or to make a statement from the dock.

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PRINCE KONOYE

FASCISM COMES TO JAPAN

TOKYO, Jan. 4. the Emperor with the formation of a new Government, announced to press correspondents this evening that he hoped to complete the Cabinet by Thursday.

Baron Hiranuma had conversations with various somalities this evening, including the out-going Premier Prince Konoye.

Baron Hiranuma declined to answer a question at a press reception whether Prince Konoye would accept a post in the new Government. The new Premier has appointed the former Governor of Osaka, Mr. Harumichi Tanabe, to be chief secretary of the new Cabinet. It is belleved that Mr. Trinabe will advise the Premier regarding the formation of

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Minister for OverseasMr. Y. merce, Communications and Railways protest, acts of aggression against production and consumption, said the are expected to be offered to various sister nations—acts which automawell-known politicians and economic tically undermine all of us. leaders, including leaders of the two majority parties.—Trans-Ocean.

8. Araki

LONDON COMMENTS

LONDON, Jan. 4. Cabinet under such headings as: "Fascism Defeats Japanese Premier," but as yet there has been no editorial comment.

saying that on the whole he held the must be met by a united democracy. balance fairly, and resisted the worst Such a democracy can, and must demands of the extreme militarists, exist in the United States. especially after the fall of Hankow. fallure of his peace offer to China, history of the United States. to which he is believed to have pinned great hopes, was probably the last straw inducing Prince Konoye to resim.

Baren Ellronuma, who is expected to miches Prince Equoye. to described as an niles matignalis (Continued on Page 4)

Democracy Must Defend Its Tenets

FOUNDED 1881

WASHINGTON, JAN. 4. RESIDENT FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT TO-DAY ADDRESSED THE 76TH UNITED STATES CONGRESS ON THE STATE OF THE NATION.

He referred to previous occasions when he advised Congress of disturbance abroad and the need of putting their own house in order.

"I face storm signals from across the seas," he said. "A further warning is necessary at the opening of this 76th Congress. A war which threatened to envelop the world in flames has been averted, but it has become increasingly clear that peace is not assured.

"The storms from abroad directly challenge the three institutions which now, as always, are indispensable to Americans. The first is religion, which is the source of the other two-democracy and international good faith.

"In modern civilisation all three complement to each other. Where the freedom of religion is attacked, the attack has come from sources opposed to democracy.

"Where democracy has been overthrown, the spirit of free worship has disappeared. And where religion and democracy have vanished, good faith in international affairs has given way to strident ambition and brute force.

"The ordering of a society which relegates religion, democracy and good faith between the nations to the background, HIRANUMA, can find no place within it for the ideals of the Prince of Peace. who has been entrusted by The United States rejects such ordering, and retains its ancient

THERE COMES A TIME

"There comes a time in the affairs of men when they must prepare to defend, not only their homes, but the tenets of faith and humanity upon which their churches, governments, and their very civilisation is founded.

"The defence of religion, democracy and good faith between nations is all the same fight. To one, we must now make up our minds to save all.

"We know what might happen to us of the United States if the new philosophies of force were to encompass other continents, and invade our own. We, no more than any other nation, cannot afford to be surrounded by enemies of our faith situation, in the light of his talks and our humanity.

"We propose to do our share of protecting, from the storms from any quarter, this hemisphere, and the ideal of democratic government, and peoples functioning together in mutual respect for peace.

"This does not imply that the United States republics disassociate themselves from the nations in other continents. It does not mean that the republics of America are against the rest of the world.

"We stand on our historic offer to take counsel of all the other nations to the end that aggression between them may be plication.—Reuter Special. terminated, and the race in armaments cease, and commerce

The President proceeded to Minister for Marine....Admiral say that if any government, bristling with the implements Minister for Justice....Mr. 8. of war, insists on the policies of power, weapons of defence would tors in bringing idle men and idle give the only safety.

He declared that the God-fearing democracies of the world cannot for The portfolios of Agriculture, Com- evermore let pass, without effective

They had learned the old, old lesson that the probability of attack was mightly decreased by the assurance of an ever-ready defence. The President said that he would send a necessary to raise the national income believed to be seriously damaged. The evening papers make a feature special message to Congress in a few to \$80,000,000,000 a year. If the adequate defence.

UNITED DEMOCRACY Continuing, President Roosevelt said: "If another form of govern-Japanese circles in London much ment can present a united front in regret Prince Konoye's resignation, the attack on democracy, the attack

"Never have there been six years Disappointment in the complete of such far-flung preparedness in the when the President moved into the "All this has been done without any diciator's power of command,

without the conscription of labour, the conficulties of capital concenthe freedom of the prom, or the rook of the Bill of Rights.

"We are on a race to make democracy work so that we shall be efficient in peace, and secure in self-"We can compete with the dicta-

capital together, and at the same time remain within the bounds of what we consider civilisation." When they were seeking to increase

curtailment of its own investments. industry, agriculture and finance in an air raid last month. for preserving their liberty, no form- casualties.—Reuter Special. less, selfish fears can stand in the

"At one time I prophesied that this generation of Americans had a rendezvous with destiny. That prophecy has come true,"

A packed house cheered and shouted lustily when President Roosevelt entered to give his address, and the House frequently applauded fighting passages of his speech, ther expansion of the R.A.F., 1,700 especially when he outlined the pilots would be recruited, 1,800 methods whereby the United States candidates have been accepted, leavcould protect Itself from foreign ing only 400 vacancies to be filled in



THURSDAY JANUARY 5,

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

America Hands Note Italy

* ROME, Jan. 4. IT IS OFFICIALLY announced that Mr. William wealthier than he was when ships are now being built, apart from are inclined to believe that questions Phillips, the United States arrested. Ambassador, handed Signor - Mussolini, in the mendous profits for their absent presence of Count Ciano, a managing director. message concerning Eurogeneral character.—Reuter. into seven figures.

OUTLINES U.S. ATTITUDE

ROME: Jan. 4. to Signor Mussolini, Mr. William former gang chieftain. Philips, American Ambassador to Rome, is believed to have outlined the American attitude to the world with President Roosevelt and other would be paid.-Reuter.

American ambassadors. Contrary to reports, it is thought that he brought no special message from President Roosevelt to Il Duce. The United States is known to be anxious to see the course of events develop peacefully, and is especially concerned about the Far Eastern

Mr. Phillips also discussed the position of American Jews in Italy, who at present are granted exemp-stroops participated in a thrilling tion from the racial laws, upon ap-

BRITISH SHIPS BOMBED IN SPAIN

BARCELONA, Jan. 4. THREE BRITISH SHIPS in Premier Edouard Daladier and his President, it was illogical for the the Barcelona harbour were hit party.-Reuter Special. Government to consider a drastic during an air raid this morning. They included the Stanwell, which At the bottom of their hearts, was being repaired after being sunk wanted Congress to do whatever was It suffered a direct hit, but is not The other vessels were only struck considerable strategic importance as of the resignation of the Japanese days recommending measures for solution to the problem was the price by splinters, and there were no a bulwark on the flanks of French two air raids on Tarragona to-day.

R.A.F. Recruiting Record

London, Jan. 4. Sace June, when the Secretary for Air announced that owing to a furtration camps, and without a Dr. Thomson, the German Charge These 400 recruits will complete a d'Affaires at Washington, was a record intake of short-service officers. In the event of war, the French Will visit record intake of short-service officers. In the event of war, the French Will visit record intake to take to take

Capone To Leave Fortress Prison

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. SCARFACE ALI CAPONE, America's No. gangster, is to be freed January 19 after nearly five years in Alcatraz, America's Devil's Island.

For a few hours he will see a nation changed since he left Chicago City, which he ruled with a gun, a nation that has given up the bootlegging that made him a fortune and has hunted down gangsters of which he was the pattern.

Then he will go back to prison again in the suburbs of Chicago for

in prison, Capone's original elevenyear sentence in 1931 for income violation has been cut, but he must serve another year in a Chicago fall cluding 10,000 ton cruisers. for another offence.

When Capone is finally released— sels under construction will not and he may never be because of his completed until 1940. mental condition—he will be

The syndicate which has been to running his enterprises—all legal except gambling—have made tre-

Breweries, night-clubs, mineral pean and Jewish problems, water factories, macaroni factories, and even cleaning firms, have and possible solutions of a brought Capone's banking account

> The way for Capone's release has been cleared by the payment of over

> His advocate, who made the payment to the district court, did not indicate when the remaining sum

Demonstration Tunis Solidity

TUNIS, Jan. 4. TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND march-past at the lonely post of DURING 1939 Britain will Aintounine this morning.

The scene was the desert plain at the foot of the Matamata Mountains, where the natives live in the caves and hills as in the Stone Age. Apart from an ancient oasis, the country is entirely barren, and until recently, saw no rain for three years. This morning's review was in strong contrast to the normal, as for one hour colourful native cavalry, camel corps, and Spahls with tanks and armoured cars, swung past

NEW MAGINOT LINE

Gabe, Tunisia, Jan. 4. Special military significance, was attached to to-day's events in which M. Daladier participated, as Tunis has North-Africa.

enemy encirclement has now been jed with refugees. barred by a Maginot Line,

and have behind them the entire bombs .- Reuter. resources of the other North-African colonies.

Algeria and Tunis have on peace footing, 68 infantry buttalions, eight has 29 infantry battalions, four regiments of Spahls, and 7,500 other

Decline Revenue

SHANGHAI, Jan. 5.

THE TOTAL CUSTOMS revenue in China during 1938 amounted to \$254,570,000 as compared with \$342,900,000 for the preceding year.

It shows a decrease of \$88,330,000 from the previous

The proceeds include \$160,-940,000 import duties, \$16,530,-000 export duties \$55,840,000 inter-port duties, \$2,920,000 tonnage dues, \$9,180,000 relief surbaxes, and \$9,170,000 revenue surtaxes.

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Earnings at different customs stations were as follows:

Chinwangtao \$4,540,000; Tientsin \$56,440,000; Chefoo \$4,020,000; Tsingtao \$8,870,000; Hankow \$8,210,000; Shanghai \$84,910,000; Foochow \$5,410,-000; Amoy \$2,630,000; Swatow \$9,630,000; Canton \$19,550,000; Kowloon \$13,840,000; Wuchow \$4,410,000; and Mengtze \$4,-420,000.—Domci.

ARMADA OF NEW SHIPS FOR NAVY

LONDON, Jan. 4. THE BRITISH NAVY will be the return of the Ministers, and deincreased by 100 vessels of vari- splte an authoritative statement that ous description in 1939, accord- no Cabinet meeting is conemplated. Because he has behaved himself ing to the "Evening News," political observers are attaching prison. Capone's original cloverwhich adds that the increase return of Mr. Chamberlain and Vis-

On the other hand, still larger ves- he would have ample opportunity of meeting the Foreign Secretary be-

The paper states that the following the big 35,000 ton battleships:

Five aircraft-carriers, of which two will be ready this year, 22 cruisers, of which three of 10,-000 tons each will be placed in service this year.

23 destroyers, of which 20 will be completed during 1939, 15 submarines, of which 13 will shortly be ready.

In addition to the above, three auxiliary ships, four mine-layers, three patrol ships, one submarine depot ship, two river gunboats, and 34 smaller vessels will be put into ser-\$37,000 towards the \$50,000 fine and vice in 1939, while independently of In the course of yesterday's visit court costs outstanding against the the naval programme for 1939-40, seven new cruisers will be ready during the present year.

number of British worships at present Roosevelt and other Government under construction is approximately officials." 150.—Trans-Occan.

RECORD LAUNCHING IN PEACE-TIME

launch 45 new warships, with a total tonnage of 355,705. Such a figure has never before been approached in time of peace by any country, and is little, if at all, below the aggregate tonnage launched in Britain in any single year of the Great War.

(Continued on Page 4.)

Many Die In

Barcelona, Jan. 4. At least 40 persons are reported to have been killed, and 30 injured in Twelve Insurgent planes carried out the first raid, and bombed and In south Tunis, a possible route for wrecked two passenger trains crowd-

Then, while rescue parties were France's available forces in recovering the bodies, a second fleet Tunis have recently been reinforced, of 25 muchines arrived and dropped

THRICE RAIDED

Paris, Jan. 4. "Insurgent planes bombed Tarragona regiments of Spahis, and 20,000 other | three times during this morning, actroops and various arms. Morocco | cording to reports from Barcelona. Bo lar 30 ate known to be dead. and more than 40 wounded, but the days to entionnee at last the millest number of casualties, is expected of the impedding Rome conversa-

Premier Cuts His Vacation

Unexpected Action Linked With Spain Situation?

LONDON, Jan. 4. Mr. Neville Chamberlain and Viscount Halifax unexpectedly decided this morning to return to London.

Originally the return of the Prime Minister and Foreign Minister was scheduled for the week-end. Official quarters are anxious to emphasise that the return of the two

Ministers from the country is due to a worsening of weather conditions. The Prime Minister's office denied rumours of a Cabinet meeting this week, or of a meeting of the inner Despite the official reason given for

will affect all types of ships, in- count Hallfax, since the Prime cluding 10.000 ton cruisers. Minister a few days ago stated that

fore their journey to Rome. Political circles here, therefore, concerning the British attitude towards... the .. Spanish... and ... Mediter-

LATEST

German Reactions To Speed

Berlin, Jan. 4. Official German reaction to Pre-The paper further states that of sident Roosevelt's speech, many vital the five 35,000 ton battleships now parts of which were directed against being built, two will be ready in 1940, Totalitarianism, cannot yet be asand the remaining three in 1941, certained, but one unofficial source Two other battleships, the construc- observed: "Privately, we are distion of which has been approved, but appointed in President. Roosevelt's not yet commenced, will, says the speech," while another comment paper, have a displacement of 40,000 was: "We are not surprised. The speech was in the same tone as pre-The paper estimates that the total vious statements by President

> The speech was awaited eagerly by all Germans with radio sets powerful enough to listen-in to the London relay.

The newspapers carried no previous announcement regarding the address.—United Press.

LONDON MARKET BOOMS

London, Jan. 4. The unofficial street stock market boomed optimistically to-day as a result of President Roosevelt's enrgerly-awaited address. Trans-Atlantics moved up substantially, while Chrysler Motors gained, as did U.S. Steel.—United Press.

See Back Page Fer Further Late News

rancan problems, which have assumed a more concrete form within the last few days, has induced the Ministers to return at an earlier date. -Increasing attention is being paid in London to the Spanish question, since it is believed the military operations have entered a decisive siage. According to all indications, London is revising its Spanish policy. Various cruatters have appealed to Mr. Chamberlain within the Inst. few

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

NavalOfficerFalls From Express Train

WITHAM (Essex).

NAVAL officer, Leiutenant H Guy Slater, aged thirty-one, whose wedding the following week was to have been a leading event of the London season, died recently in Chelmsford Hospital, after he had fallen from an express train.

A few hours before the accident he and his bride-to-be, Miss Patricia Adams, had called together at St. George's Church, Hanover-square, W., and had

Four hundred guests had been in- Stock Exchange cat. vited. The reception was to have been held in a Mayfair hotel. A Continental honeymoon was arranged.

SEEN IN MOONLIGHT

Then, Lleutenant Stater left London for Ipswich on an express off. train from Liverpool-street. As it mouse-but the cat did not. thundered past Witham at seventy miles an hour he was thrown out and lay unconscious, sprawled across the other rails.

It was bright moonlight. The driver of a goods train following the express saw the unconscious man on the rails along which an up train was

The driver jammed on his brakes. Lieutenant Slater, his head severely injured, was taken to Chelmsford

Hospital. While doctors there prepared to operate, telephone calls brought the dying man's flancee and mother hurrying to Chelmsford.

For four hours surgeons fought to save his life. For four hours mother and sweetheart waited together in a nearby hotel. His mother, now Mrs. Borton, had he was watching a picture.

travelled to Chelmsford with her husband, Air Vice-Marshal Borton, of Cheveney, Kent. In the late afternoon the two wo-

men were summoned to the hospital. The operation had been in vain. They stayed by his bed as the unconscious man died. George Formby Lleutenant Slater's father, Mr. S.

H. Sinter, of Guildford, Surrey, is a retired Indian Civil Servant. . Just three weeks ago," he said. "I saw him off from this door. He was to be back here in four days.

should have been his bride."

depot H.M.S. Ganges, was due to comedian George Formby. start on leave.

His flancee is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Adams, of George Formby's 'When I'm Cleaning thildren at Renfrew:— At his home in Palace Gate House, W., Air Vice-Marshal Borton, step-father of Lieutenant Slater, said:—

"My stepson came here to say

good-bye to me and his mother yes-

Cotton

Golf

Henry Cotton, most famous golf

professional in Britain, recently

told the full story of the match in which he partnered the Duke of

Windsor to beat two other crack

he talked enthusiastically in his home

"We played Mr. Max Aitken and

Percy Boomer on the St. Cloud (Paris) course," he sald, "in a four-all foursome. Mr. Aitken has a

handicap of one, and Boomer is one

of the finest players in France. The

"At the first few holes we did not

do so well. The Duke was un-

ruffled, however, and drove steadi-

shots that he loses points.

"He has a good swing, and near-

at Little Gaddesden, near here.

players.

Duke played off 0.

Ashridge (Herts).

1. MOUSE RUNS UP BROKER'S LEG

discussed with the vicar final through Throgmorton Street, E.C., arrangements for their wed- for five minutes. It raced out of the Stock Exchange, followed by the

> The mouse ran for safety up the trousers of a stock-broker who was standing outside in the street.

> A crowd made a ring round the broker while he took his trousers He eventually released the

2. MOUSE LEG

Mr. I. V. Roseman, a lawyer, is suing a cinema at Cleveland, Ohlo. for £50 damages because, lie says, a mouse ran up his trouser-leg while

He declared he was scratched and bitten, was unable to sleep that night.

Is Upset

A few words spoken during a "Lis-"One thing I must do at once: I teners' Requests" programme of must go up and see Pat Adams, who gramophone records in the National Lieutenant Slater, attached to the programme recently have upset

> Windows,' But they are not yet dean enough for this programme. "Children, I have a word for you." We will try to find one of his songs. The King is coming, so I hope you next week.".

Said George Formby in London interested in children." one night: "It is one of my most "We never thought that when famous songs. If the man in the next we saw him he would be dying B.B.C. studio didn't like it he need. Canada and the United States next not have mentioned it at all."

Praises the Duke's

In His Pocket"

cowardice by a perfectly respectable man.

London.

of natural history at St. Andrews, Magistrate Sir Rollo Graham-

Classics Read

By Younger

Generation

"We were three down at the turn, and Sir Charles Grant Robinson, Campbell bound McGowan over.

Principal of Birmingham University,

Sunday Table d'Hote or A la Carte. No

fairway. It is on his approach by Sir D'Arcy Thompson, Professor almost at once.

A lively controversy has been

ly every time he pitches well up the aroused in the Press by statements the West End, and was arrested

Socks For The King!"

Renfrew (Ontario). "We have had a number of re- Said Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor-

will all brush your hair and pull up your socks, for the King is especially

The King and Queen are to visit

keep anything over £20.

At last he showed it to a man in

a hole in his pocket."

"Pull Up Your COUNSEL SAYS THAT CHINESE EMBASSY REFUSED EVIDENCE

COMPLAINT that the Chinese Embassy had pleaded diplomatic privilege, and refused to give evidence in a case in connection with an alleged transaction concerning arms for China, was made by counsel at Bow-street recently.

Mr. G. Du Cann, who appeared for two of the three defendants, submitted at the close of the hearing that no stone should the hearing that no stone should be left unturned to bring somebody from the Embassy to speak about Mr. Chou Tin Shu, who had been mentioned in the case.

Typical of the 18,000 Italian families that of the 19 ships that carried the emigrants across have left their native land to colonize Libya is the Mediterranean, to be greeted by Governor

the Amadeo Maestri family, left centre, emigrat- Marshal Italo Balbo, right centre, on arrival at

ing from their home in Pescara-di-Ferrara. An- Cirene. Top right, statue of Il Duce at Tripoli, nouncement that the government had chosen waving the Sword of Islam. Colonists found

them caused much interest in the home court- homes and farms completely equipped, awaiting yard, lower right, while Mama Maestri, lower them. Families from same Italian towns are

left, got her identification tag. Top left, some kept together,

"Justice cannot be done if the Chinere Embassy are going to shelter behind their diplomatic privileges in this way," he declared.

Cocaine "Burned Hole The three defendants, Frederick Willing, aged 50, a Dutch subject and metal merchant, of Tavistock-court, DEFENDING, at Bow-street, London, W.C., recently, a twenty-

nine-year-old hairdresser accused of possessing cocaine, Mr. He described the Duke's game as R. E. Fearnley-Whittingstall said that it was a case of moral gullty and reserved their defence. A short time ago the man, ling conspired between December 1, ling conspired between De The three were charged with hav-George McGowan, received by post from a man he had met in Paris a packet of cocaine, who suggested he should cell it and stated to be manager of a guarantee well-known from of Paris armament of Edizocrald for Miss Gallage.

Suggested he should cell it and stay so, 1830, with once the Prancis Benan, of Curzon-street. Dublin, was sued by Miss Margaret Gallagher, of South Circular-road, Dublin. Both are aged 35.

Mr. J. Fitzgerald for Miss Gallage. suggested he should sell it and agents, of £7,250.

For more than a week McGowan vandered about miserably, wonderwandered about miserably, wonder- £4,000 from M. Leflitte by false GUIDE TO MISGUIDED ing what to do, the packet "burning pretences." For some, reason," said

California Bananas Grown

opinions of a number of librarians Thompson's indictment—copies in bananas. John Rose has successfully girl on the previous June and they whose evidence, while not immedi- the lending library of one London experimented here with a tree that intended to get married. "This was the first time I have ately relevant to the complaints of borough have each been borrowed was 14 inches tall when he planted it Miss Gallagher. In evidence, said played with him, but I saw that he is a really good player. I think that he should very soon have a finalicap general decline of public interest in low single figures."

Miss Ganagher. In evidence, said that Behan used his home as an office while at Croydon it was reported high, with a liameter of 18 inches and for Lonely People's Club correspont to be in steady and constant has already borne two ripened dence. bunches of bananas.

A MAN who was said to have Tavistock-square, agent, of Park- ordered a suit for the wedlane, W., and James Oll Herbert ding and worn it at the opening Willing, nged 24, metal merchant, of saing and worn it at the opening Dorset House, were all committed of a Lonely People's Club which he founded, was ordered at All three defendants pleaded not Dublin Civil Court recently to pay £150 damages for breach of

Francis Behan, of Curzon-street.

They were also charged with her, said that the couple began keep-

"For some, reason," said Mr. Fitzgerald, "Behan started a Lonely People's Club in Dublin and hoped DA1541 to make money out of it, "He subsequently ran excursions DA1651

and organised dances for 'misguided lonely people' in the city."

balanced his weak points, and at the tion of students are unacquainted times. In the case of Swift's forged ahead and won by one up. I

The Times to-day publishes the went round in 69, and the Duke in online of a number of libraries. In the case of Swift's Possibilities of a new California handed Miss Gallagher a letter in books mentioned in Sir D'Arcy fruit growing industry is that of which he stated he had met another books mentioned in Sir D'Arcy fruit growing industry is that of which he stated he had met another books mentioned in Sir D'Arcy fruit growing industry is that of which he stated he had met another books mentioned in Sir D'Arcy fruit growing industry is that of which he stated he had met another books mentioned in Sir D'Arcy fruit growing industry is that of which he stated he had met another books mentioned in Sir D'Arcy fruit growing industry is that of the proposition of the

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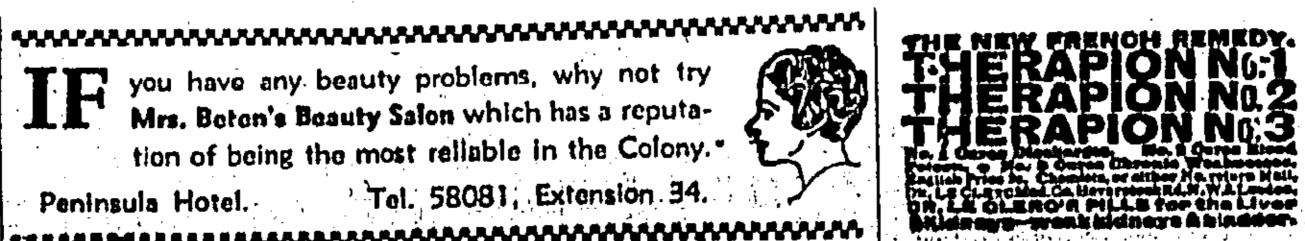
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A Salvation Army official said that there was no question of compulsion, but experience had shown that in many cases wives like to have their husbands with them.

In no circumstances were husbands allowed to be present at the netual

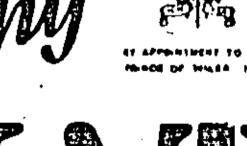
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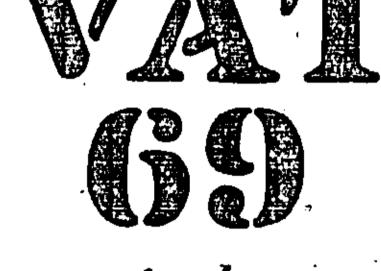
homes for hospitals. A doctor at Queen Charlotte's Maternity Home sald: "We are for too busy to bother with husbands, and we definitely ban the introduction of potentially septic people into theoretically unseptic wards because

of the risk of infection. "My experience is that the husband is the last person a woman wants to see at such times."









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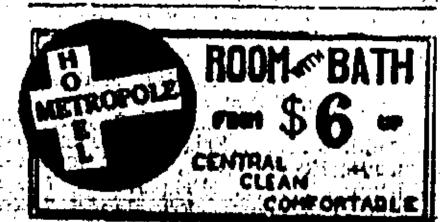


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Looking Like Typists

MJOMEN police have proved themselves a great success. So great that Scotland Yard is going to increase by 50 the total of 100 now on the strength.

The general idea is that they do little more than look after neglected children, see that they are not bullied and beaten. In fact, it is thought that they play a comparatively small part in There is no evidence of this prac- actual crime detection. This is not the case.

Peer Thrilled one of teetives. Bluebooks

*IJISCOUNT SAMUEL stated in the House of Lords recently that the report of the Royal Commission on the Coal Industry was one of the best sellers ever published by the Government. It sold more than 100,000 copies (at 1s. each).

Lord Addison said he had often felt that if the Stationery Office would give reports of Royal Commissions a popular binding they would be as good sellers as Mr. H. G. Wells's books.

"They are just as full of romance, and there are many thrillers," he added. "I have quite a good collection; some of which I have read several times."

BRITISH TRADE IN CHINA

HERE has been no abatement in the anxiety and indignation that—but it is necessary. reports that are being received daily of still further interference by the Japanese with legitimate British commercial interests in China,

ministration at Tsingtao formed the get 5s. a week extra for that interestsubject of further questions in the ing job. House of Commons recently as And there's romance in the work,

Mr. Moreing asked the Prime

Mr. Butler: The position is that a mented at an early date.

ban exists at Chefoo and other ports in Shantung on the export to South question, I understand that as a requestion, I understand that as a re-China of certain articles, not being the property of third Power nationals. In one case, which has been brought to the notice of my Noble Friend, shipment in a foreign vessel was pershipment in a foreign vessel mitted, although the goods were that some reorganisation has been apparently Chinese-owned, Representations have been made to the Japanese authorities in China and to question

achleved? Do they apologise? Mr. Moreing asked the Prime Minister whether he is aware that the conveyance of goods in lighters between ship and wharf, which is enforced by the Japanese authorities at Tsingtao, necessitates the exposure of the carry to the carry to the follow
Mr. Moreing asked the Prime countries represented at Shanghai censed to exist, but those still remaining claim to be fulfilling and the arrived at Winnipeg on this jourpublic demand and are entitled to public demand and are entitled to consideration when matters of policy are decided on.

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Mr. Buller: We have not yet obained a satisfactory reply.

Sir W. Smiles asked the Prime Minister whether he is aware that the Japanese army nuthorities and the wharf administration at Taingino presence of the Emperor of Japan British ships berthing alongside the such policy is antagonistic to British lines is the 1st, 3in, gauge railway I nounced recently that her huswharf; and whether he will cause inquiries to be made into the question whether subordinate Japanese officials are making a large profit

Frient the Member for Bury, on the on this important matter,

to pay before they can land their

There are at least three women police who are rated first-class de-One of them was pointed out. She was alim, and she was good-

looking. She looked just a well-

paid typist. "CON, MAN'S" ENEMY

She was talking to a man who, in the less respectable circles of London's West End, would be termed "n fly one." This particular policewoman was after confidence trick-

London's policewomen are coming nearer to the novelists' idea of a woman sleuth than the novelists themselves realise.

And so good have they proved themselves that the "Yard" wants more of them; many more of them.

Are they tough? It is on record that in the last few days one of them went into a coloured men's club of bad reputation in Soho for a young woman who had thrown over parental control and was running

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for ten weeks among the men re-cruits, and then go on a two years' probationary course. You may get sore feet by pounding the beats, have your hands roughened by being out in the cold and the rain, and have to set your teeth about this little incident and

ROMANCE, TOO

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too-if romance you seek,

There are also a number of further

Mr. Leach: If representations are made in these cases, as in the case of General Franco, what do the Government do when no satisfaction is achieved? Do they prologise?

'Mr. Morcing:—To ask the Prime try with statistical returns. In continuous supply the material must supply the minust supply the mi and national associations of eight Many small lines, he adds, have ever knew was the farm.

of the cargo to the full violence of the weather in this exposed port and the weather in this exposed port and renders the shipment of certain types of cargo impossible; and what action he is taking to protect British trade?

Mr. Butler: Yes, Sir, and urgent few days from the British representations have been made to the Japanese Government that British trade in China; what are the ships should be allowed to both in specific causes of complaint allowed. ships should be allowed to berth in the communication; and what the commercial harbour,

Miss Wilkinson: Have the Government that British trade in Unina; what are the ships should be allowed to berth in the communication; and what steps he is taking to provide a reduction (Derbyshire)

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Bette Davis:

Sir John Wardlaw-Milne:—To ask Snallbeach District Estates the Prime Minister, whether his at- Weston. Clevedon & Romney, Hythe and Dymchurch declaration of policy-of the Japanese Government contending that the Talyllyn, North Sheffeld Nine-Power treaty is obsolete, np- Rowrah and Kelton den & Whitburn proved at a conference in the on 30th November; to what extent

Sir John Wardiaw-Miline:-To nak the Prime Minister whether he has through the agency of the lighterage made representations to the Japanese company out of lighterage charges Covernment on the fallure of the which the Japanese naval mission at Foreign Minister, Mr. Arita, on Tsingtao compel British shipowers assuming office, to give to foreign ambassadors the customary assurance that Japan will adhere to the opendoor policy; and whether His tres here will be required to speak agency. Last 'March' Miss Davis Mr. Baller: No. Sir, but as a result Majesty's Government have can several foreign languages with took, a 18-year-old orphan into her of the representations to which I suited the Governments of the fluency. The new regulation is in-home as a protege, in September

action he is taking.



Fears were reawakened for the life of Pope Plus, shown above with an aide, when he suffered a serious heart attack in his private apartment in Vatican City. Physicians administered oxygen to the B1-year-old Pontiff, after which he railled. His life was despaired of almost exactly two years ago when he was ill from varicose veins.

BRITAIN'S LITTLE RAILWAYS TO TAKE STRONGER LINE

HUNDREDS of branch railway lines have been absorbed by the four main line groups since the war, but there are still many little railways, some of them only a few miles long, worked independently by small public companies.

To protect their interests, just as the Railway Companies Association looks after the well-being of the Big Four, the Association of Minor Railway Companies is to be formed.

There are at least 25 of these independent public railways. The famous Festiniog Railway is known to Welsh holidaymakers and to film producers. It is 13 1/2 miles long with a 1ft. 11 1/2 in. gauge, has six engines, two petrol locomotives, 52 carriages, 1,186 waggons and five mixed vehicles.

Some of these railways are almost Lilliputian. One of the smallest public lines is the Easingwold, in Yorkshire. Its present length is two and a half miles and it has one locomotive and two carriages.

Mr. S. J. Reading, general manager of the 15-mile-long Derwent Valley Light Railway, with head offices at Layerthorpe Station, York, says that "almost without exception they are now in a far worse position than the grouped com-

"In a White Paper issued by the Ministry of Trunsport," he writes Minister what steps he has taken to remove the pressure which is being exercised by the Japanese at Tsingtao, have undertaken, if stated: 'Light railways must rely stated: 'Lig authorities in North China upon Chinese firms to compel the latter to ships instead of in British ships?

Mr. Buller: The position is that a manufactor of the position is that a manufactor of the position is that a manufactor of the main line companies in whose districts they lie."

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BOUND BY REGULATIONS

"Small railways are bound by the Japanese Government both as regards interference with trade in Wednesday. December 7th, as follows:—

British ships and the discrimination follows:—

Questions on the Order Paper of the Japanese Government both as reHouse which are down for answer on ways, are forced to render their accounts in the same form as the large rallways and must supply the Miniswith his 70-years-old mother, on board the Duchess of Atholl. questions on the Order Paper of the most of the regulations affecting rail- miles from Winnipeg, Canada.

Mr. Reading sald that the follow- The radio and the cinema startled

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and facilitate in general.

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two years old. The only world he

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interests in the Far East; and what that runs from Romney to Dym- band, Harmon O. Nelson, "will apply for a divorce." They were married in 1932. . Hollywood gossip writers have recently filled many columns with reports of their incompatibility. Nelson, who is 31-a year older

than his wife—gave up his job as a band leader this year in order to referred in my reply to my, hon. United States of America and France tended to make visitors feel at home the Nelsons separated for what at the time was Minounced as vacation.

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Mountain, north and north-east

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further large numbers of Chinese

It is expected that considerable

that the Japanese line north of Han-

FIGHT TO END

The Chinese Ambassador, Mr. Quo

Tai-chi, speaking at the National Trade Union Club in London to-day,

said that the determination of the Chinese people to fight to the bitter

end, until an equitable and lasting

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Exchange At A Glance

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of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 9th. day of January, 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Sau Portuguese Minister. Chuk Yuen Road, Kowloon City, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for induction. a term of 75 years, commencing option of renewal at a Crown the last three days thereof.

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NOTICE

R.A.O.B. (G.L.E.) Club, Queen's Building, Ice House Street, near Star Ferry, will hold a whist drive and tombola every Thursday, commencing Thursday, 5th January at 8.30 p.m. sharp. All are welcomed.

NOTICE.

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Mr. L. Dunbar retires from partnership in the above firm as of December 31st., 1938, and his interest and responsibility cease from that date. L. DUNBAR. S. E. LEVY & CO.

STOCK MARKET REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued at 1.00 p.m. yesterday, says: A moderate turnover was put increase their blds.

Canton Insurance \$210 Union Insurance \$478 II.K. Fire Insurance \$176 H.K. Fire Insurance \$178
Douglases \$63\/2
H.K. & K. Wharves \$115\/2
H.K. Docks (Old) \$18\/4
H. & S. Hotels \$6.85
H.K. Lands \$36.85
H.K. Realties \$5.25
H.K. Tramways \$17.60
Peak Trams (Old) \$7\/4
Peak Trams (New) \$3\/4
Star Ferries \$72
China Lights (cum rts.) \$0.40
China Lights Rts. \$3\/4
Macao Electrics \$57\/4
Macao Electrics \$17
Sandakan Lights \$10
Cements \$16.40
H.K. Ropes \$3\/4 H.K. Ropes \$3% Dairy Farms \$24 Entertainments \$7

Vibro Piling \$6% H.K. Govt. 4ch Loan 6% pm. H.K. Govt. 3%% Loan par.

Hongkong Bank \$1,490
Union I aurance \$490
China Underwriters \$0.70
H.K. & K. Wharves \$117½
H.K. Docks (Old) \$19
H.K. Docks (New) \$17¾
Raubs \$9.33
H.K. Lands \$37
H.K. Tramways \$17.80
China Lights (cum ris.) \$9.70
H.K. Electrics \$58¼
Telephones (Old) \$24
Entertainments \$7¼
Constructions \$1¾ Constructions \$1%

Hongkong Bank \$1,475/90
H.K. & K. Wharves \$116
H.K. Docks (New) \$17.60
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H. & S. Hotels \$5.90
H.K. Lands \$36.85/37
H.K. Tramways \$17.60
China Lights (cum rts.) \$9.50
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for the use of many millions of natives of fine fighting qualities .-Reuter Special. MORE TROOPS LEAVING Marsellles, Jan. 4. Another battalion of 750 men of the Seneral infantry are leaving on

January 7 for French Somaliland.

ADVERTISEMENTS. ROOSEVELT'S WARNING

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS Share for Hemisphere?

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gallery, while other interested Spanish Ambassadors, and

Mrs. Roosevelt and the President's mother were among the crowded

Loud and prolonged cheering greet-

ing, the free nir in a free country, at all possible in view of the fact in a living, not a dead world."

on President Roosevelt's speech, said prevent the infiltration of Chinese that he believes the Government will forces.—Trans-Ocean. conclude it is necessary to apply

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"We Propose to Do Our

JAPANESE spectators were the French and HARASSED SHANGHAI, Jan. 4.

from 1st July, 1898, with the ed the President when he said: "Dictatorship involves costs which Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor the cost of our spiritual value, and of His Majesty the KING, for one the blessed right of being able to say further term of 24 years less what we please, the cost of freedom, the cost of our capital being fiscated, the cost of being cast into Intending bidders are advised concentration camps, and of being that immediately after the dispo- afraid to walk down the street with having our children brought up, not

Senator Key Pitiman, commenting kow is not continuous enough to

moral, financial, and commercial sanctions against threaty violaters,-

U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

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July 70%/70% 70%/70% October

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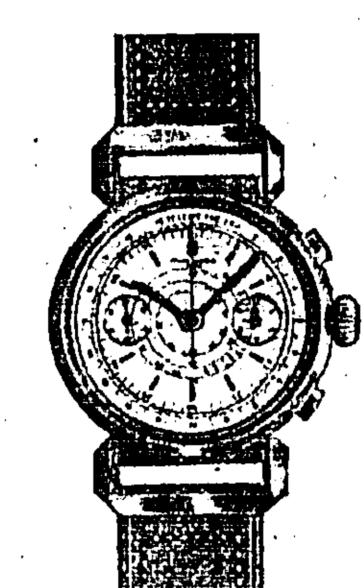
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TROPICAL CLIMATES

FASCISM COMES TO **JAPAN**

(Continued from Page 1.)

of the most extreme type, unpopular in Japan. Mr. Ikeda's disappearance is much regretted, as he is generally regarded as a most able Finance Minister, and anxiety is felt in London as to who will succeed him.

It is predicted that the two great Japanese political parties, the Sciyukai and Minselto, will fight violently, as they did in the autumn of 1936 and the spring of 1937, against the Army chiefs' plans for the formation of a new party on Fascist lines, which, in effect, would reduce the Diet to a rubber stamp Assembly.

parties will have the support of the Japanese people in this fight. Observers do not expect the new Ministry to last long.

Chinese opinion, expressed to "Reuter", was as follows: "It makes but it is possible that a more extreme Japanese Government is better for us, because it will hasten the chances

ARMY SUPPORT HIRANUMA

held at the official residence of the 14in guns of a new and most power-War Minister, the Army lenders ful type. With a designed speed of have decided to support the new 30 knots, they will be among the Government under Baron Klichiro world's fastest battleships, Hirnnuma.

the War Minister, Lieut.-General ous, and Formidable, each of 23,000 Seishiro Itagaki, Lieut.-General tons. They are the largest carriers Yamawaki, the Vice-Chief of the So far built for the Royal Navy.

Army General Staff, and Lieut.— The first is building at Barrow-in-General Toshizo Nishio, Inspector- Furness, the second on the Tyne, and General of Military Education.

The views of the military nuthorities as discussed at the conference, were communicated to Baron | The five large cruisers to be put Kilchiro Hiranuma, the Premier De- affoat are the Fiji, Kenya, Mauritius, signate, when General Itagaki, in Nigeria, and Trinidad, representing a response to a call from Baron new type of 8,000 tons and 33 knots Hiranuma, visited the headquarters speed, armed with 12 6in. guns. for the formation of the Cabinet at | The seven smaller cruisers in the 9.20 n.m.

in the new Cabinet, General Itagaki, and Hermione. They, too, form an on behalf of the Army, it is under- entirely new class, 5,450 tons, with stood, made the following requests to a speed of 33 knots. The armament the Premier Designate: . (1) The policies for settling the 5.2in guns, a new model credited

China Incident which has been es- with a rate of fire of 14 rounds a tablished as the result of the Im- minute." perial Conference, especially the Of the 11 destroyers eight are of principles for adjusting relations with the Laforey class, understood to be China which were enunciated on De- of a very large and powerful type. cember 22, should be pursued in toto All the new submarines are big by the new Cabinet.

defence in coping with the urgent Even when the 45 ships enumeratand further strengthened.

and the Planning Board of the vided for in the 1939 Navy Estimates. Cabinet be strengthened. (5) The productive capacity of the nation be enhanced. nation be expanded to a degree. (6) The spirit and vigour of the Domei.

ARMADA OF SHIPS FOR NAVY

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The vessels due to be launched in

1939 are:	T	splacement
Турс	Number	tons
Battleships		175,000
Aircraft carrier	s. 3	09,000
Large cruisers		40,000
Small cruisers		38,150
Destroyers		20,000
Submarines		9,655
Sloops	5	3,7 00
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All the above are combatant ships, and the total of launchings in the coming year does not include a considerable number of auxiliary craft, such as boom defence vessels, motor It is thought that the political torpedo-boats, depot ships and tugs.

FIFTY 14-IN GUNS

The first important vessels to go affoat will be the battleship. King-George V., which the King is to no difference to us who is in power launch on Tyneside on Feb. 21. A sister ship, Prince of Wates, will take ' in Tokyo. We fight on just the same, the water at Birkenhead in March, and during the summer and autumn three more vessels of the same class -Anson, Jellicoe and Bentty-will of a popular revolt in Japan."--- be launched at Clydebank, Wallsendon-Type and Govan respectively.

These five units, the largest and most strongly armoured battleships Tokyo, Jan. 5. ever built in Britain, will reinforce Following an emergency conference the gun-power of the Fleet by 50

The three aircraft carriers to be The conference was attended by launched are the Illustrious, Victorithe third at Belfast.

NEW TYPE CRUISERS

1939 programme are Dido, Euryalus, While consenting to retain his post Naiad, Phoebe, Sirius, Bonaventure is unique, consisting as it does of 10

ocean-going craft, and most of the (2) Efforts be made by the new sloops are escort vessels heavily-Cabinet to establish plans for national armed with anti-nircraft guns.

situation in East Asia as well, as ed are in the water, many others will to replenish and perfect armament. remain on the stocks. These will in-(3) The relations between Japan, clude two 40,000-ton battleships, four Germany and Italy be brought closer heavy and three light cruisers, and numerous smaller craft, without (4) The system for the general counting the battleships, cruisers, mobilisation of the nation be solidified destroyers and submarines to be pro-

(7) Foreign trade be promoted .--

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OUTWARD MAILS Date and Time. Thursday

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Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Hono- Pan-American Airways Plane Thurs., Jan. 5. lulu and U.S.A., by the "Pan-K.P.O. American Airways Direct Ser-Reg. Jan, 5, 5, p.m. vice"-due San Francisco, 12th Ord. Jan. 5, 5.30 p.m. January Reg.Jan. 5, 5 p.m..

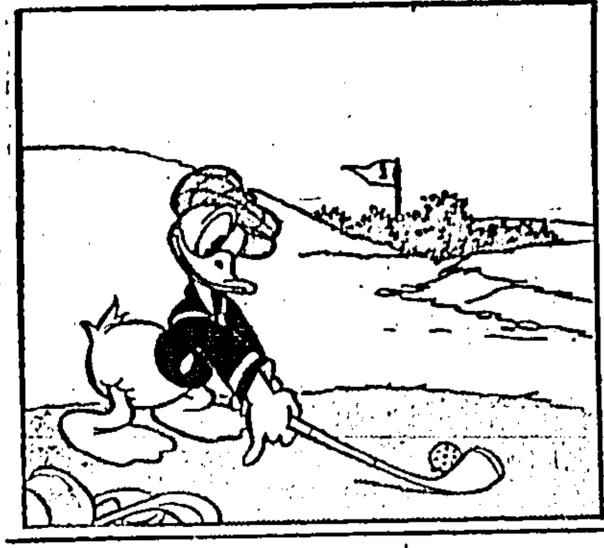
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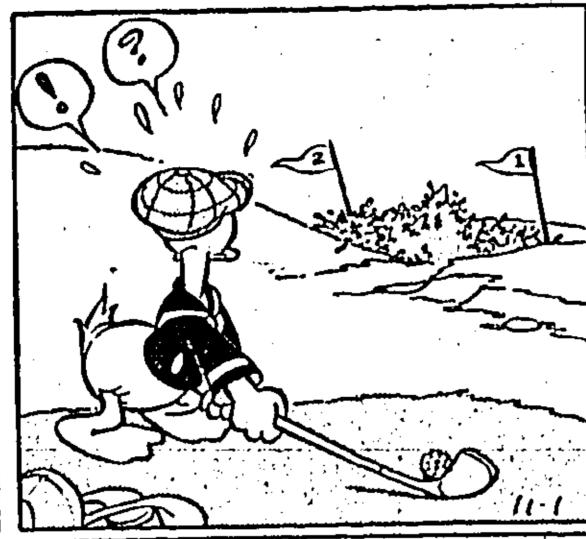
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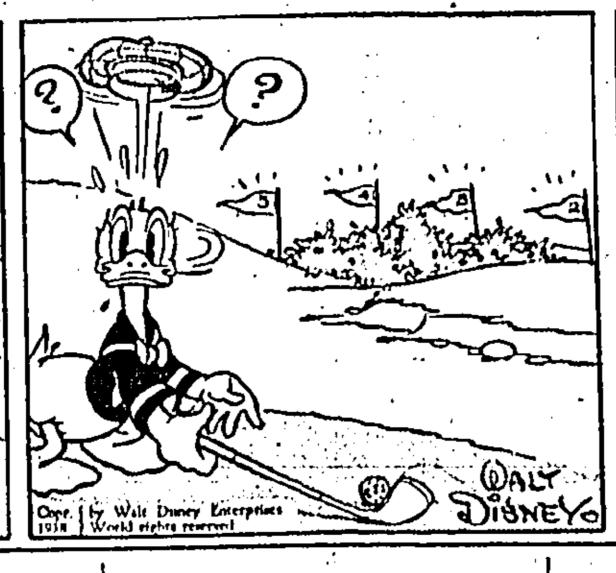
Friday Mausang Fri., Jan. 6, 8.30 a.m. Swatow Kingyuan Fri., Jan. 6, 9.30 a.m. Shanghal, Japan and Europe (except Great Britain and Eire) Rajputana ... Fri., Jan. 6, 10.30 a.m.

Siberia. Manila Pres Van Buren F Fri., Jane 6, 10:30 4.m. Chunchow Anking Fri., Jan. v, 3.30 p.m. Brindisi-due Brindisi, 26th January Conte Rosso . . Fri., Jan. 6, 3,80 p.m. Dairen Lippe Fri. Jan. 6, 7 p.m. Manila Pres. Cleveland Fri. Jan. 6, 7 p.m.

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Week-End Mail **Expected Early**

The Imperial Airway plane Delia landed at Kai Tak at 4 p.m. yesterday with 330 kilos of mail from all countries.

The Denebola and the Delphinus are expected to arrive on Friday, a day early, with the week-end mail. The Delia will leave with the outward load on Friday morning.

C.N.A.C. REORGANISE

Local Business Office To Remain Open

The Hongkong office of China National Aviation Corporation, owing to the recently reduced and inde-Hongkong office and that its local cause. business will be handled by Pan American Airways Company Is unfounded.

general traffic agent of Pan Ameri- where he joined the Customs and Mr. Lee emphasises that British Y. Chao, formerly in charge of the branch. He was stationed in Kai- £300,000,000 and contrasts the debeen stationed in Hongkong for some articles written by him and publish- ports to China and increase of Jatime, is appointed to take temporary charge of the local business in Hongkong.

CLIPPER DUE TO-DAY

The delayed Pan American Philippine Chipper is expected to arrive at Kai Tak at 12.30 p.m. to-day, and will depart to-morrow at 8.30 a.m.

AIR FRANCE COMING

The weekly Air France plane is expected at Kai Tak at 12.30 p.m. to-day, and will depart at dawn on Saturday for Hanol.

TASMAN SEA SERVICE

Wellington, Jan. 4. The air service between Australia and New Zealand is expected to begin at Easter. Work has begun at the air base at Auckland harbour .-Reuter.

AIR SERVICES

Arrivals and Departures Of Planes Outward

For London, Australia, British Countries and Europe: Imperial Air- the full period of 35 years service beways 7 a.m.; Jan. 6, 7, a.m.; Jan. 10.

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Clipper 8.30 a.m. Jan. 6.

6.30 a.m. Jan. 7. Inward

From London, Australia and Brip.m. Jan. 6; Imperial Airways 5 p.m. War and the Introduction in 1919 the Central Magistracy yesterday. Jan. 10.

definite. From U.S.A. via Honolulu, Guam

Manila: Pan American Philippine Clipper 12.30 p.m. Jan. 5. From France, via Hanoi: Air

France 12.30 p.m. December Jan. 5.

MOTOR CAR STOLEN

Disappears from Outside Majestic Theatre

from outside the Majestic Theatre Financial Secretary, being thus en- Hongkong to collect the money. on Tuesday night.

THEFTS FROM CARS

:Sentence of three weeks' hard labour was imposed by Mr. R. A. D. horn valued \$5 from car No. 1273 in wife's untimely death in 1931. He Therapeutics (111)," by Dr. Arthur mencing at 0 p.m. His subject will installed and the prisoners were, a symbol of reform and progress Tang Lung Street; at 7.50 p.m. on leaves a brother M. Arthur Braud, Fung; January 19, 'The Appeal of be "Around the World with a Movie taught the elements of some in penal administration. These at Antibes, France."

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Lance-Sergeant Of Royal

Artillery Passes

The death occurred in the Military Hospital, Bowen Road, yesterday, of Lance-Sergeant William Thompson, of the 12th Heavy Bat-

Deceased was 37 years of age and had been in the Army for 12 years, four of which were spent in Hongkong. He is survived by his wife and six children, all of whom are in

the Colony. . The funeral takes place at 3 p.m.

Stubbs Road.

MR. ERIK TOLLEFSEN

Former Co-Director General Of Chinese Posts

News has been received in Shangfinite schedule, has been ordered to hai that Mr. Erik Tollefsen, former reduce its staff in order to curtail Co-Director General of Chinese expenses, but local business will be Posts, passed away on December 22 "If the Government's long-suffering carried on as usual. The news re- while at Estoril, outside Lisbon, cently published in Chinese papers where he and his wife were to spend that C.N.A.C. will close down its the winter. Heart failure was the

Norway, in 1872, graduated from extinction of all he can look for since Club. Christiania (Olso) University in our prestige is to be allowed to de-C.N.A.C. will continue to be the 1891, and came to China in 1896, cline." soon afterwards entered the Postal investments in China amount to feng in 1904, when some excellent cline of British and American extransferred to Peking. With his keen intellect and administrative ability, Mr. Tollefsen was soon (in 1906) promoted to Postal Commissioner in aggression is checked. the old capital, and subsequently placed in charge of various important postul districts (twice in Shanghal, 1911-12 and 1923-6). In 1926 he left on what he expected to be his final surely China with her magnificent home leave before retirement, but in 1929 the Chinese Government recalled him and he was appointed Co-Director General of Posts. From this position he retired in 1932 and settled down outside Oslo.

MR. A. C. E. BRAUD Former Commissioner Of Customs at Canton

The news has reached Shanghai of the death of Mr. A. C. E. Braud, formerly Commissioner of the Shanghal Customs, who passed away at Nice, on November 26, in his 55th

Born at Fontainebleau (France) on February 5, 1883, the late Mr. Braud first came to China in 1901 to join the Chinese Maritime Customs, in Court Sequel to Piracy In which administration he completed fore being superannuated in Decem-For Chungking, Sian, etc.; Eurasia ber, 1936.

From Chungking, Yunnanfu, Kwei- tion of the Appraising Department at spector R. W. Ritchio prosecuted. lin: C.N.A.C. Eurosia Services in- the Shanghai Customs, and other main ports.

tinction. Mr. Braud was called by the Territory, and took away his cargo Inte Inspector-General, Sir Francis of cigarettes. They also took · his Aglen, to take up the post of Chinese cheque book and chop. Secretary at the Inspectorate Evidence of arrest on December 5 General, which post he retained for a was given by Detective-Sergeant H. day at the Registry before Mr. T. J. trusted by the Inspector General with primary responsibility for the custody of the Customs Revenue and Clothing valued at \$70 was stolen the service of foreign and national from a car belonging to Chiu Wang- louns secured thereon. He occupied ylp of Connaught Road West, while his post until December 1936, when it was parked in Hill Road on Tues- his usefulness to the Customs Ser-

> the service career limit, . Married in February 1928 to phical Society, 1B. Chater Road.

TRADE IN CHINA

Growing Anxiety Felt In Britain

London, Jan. 4. Japanese encroachment on foreign way from Tientsin to Tungchow. trade rights in China is given prominence in The Times and Daily Telegraph.

Mr. Lennox B. Lee, who is Chairman of the Calleo Printers' Associa- M.P., of Blemingham, England, and tion and a member of the Advisory Miss Mary Endicott of Salum, Mass. to-day at the Colonial Cemetery via Council to the Board of Trade, in a took place at St. John's Eplacopal cember 21 and enstigates the Gov- tion. ernment's long-suffering policy in

country permits one of its largest and weight champion, met in a glove con- To Romance—Slow Fox-Trot (from potential markets to be made an ex- test at mid-night. Six rounds were the film)...Mantovani and His Tipica steady elimination of British and draw. other foreign interests," he writes. policy is not soon stiffened by something more than diplomatic protests, which only earn Japanese contempt and continental derision, the British Mr. Tollefsen, born in Drammen, trader might as well be told of the over by Mr. Reid, Vice President of the Toy Drum Major; Toy Town Artil- Affairs."

> tish trade is only one per cent, since they were annexed by Japan, will Esq. happen also in China unless Japanese Stabb.

"We can only pay the colossal bill alone maintain, our export trade and continued. possibilities, natural genius for trade [and desire for peace deserves for ing with the Quorn, near Baraby, fell more support than we have so far at a wide ditch but escaped with a given," he declared.

In the Dally Telegraph Mr. B. S. Keeling minutely analyses the resources of the economic bloc of economy. He emphasises that more Australia since 1911-12. British money is invested in China than in any country except Argentina. If therefore Japan can surmount the present financial difficulit will be first and foremost at this being no less than 47 feet down. country's expense,—Reuter,

FORGED CHEQUES

Chinese Waters

responsible for the initial attempt at cheque drawn on the Shanghai Comthe codification of Customs regula- mercial Savings Bank Ltd., for the For France via Hanoi: Air France, tions and procedure which resulted in sum of \$1,500 Chinese national curplayed an important share in plan- \$1,000 on December 5, and with rening the improvements in local Cus- ceiving a stolen chop belonging to toms procedure, necessitated by the the complainant, Wu Hoi-shan, was tish Countries: Imperial Airways 5 expansion of the trade following the heard before Mr. T. J. Houston at of a revised Import Tariff which Mr. C. A. S. Russ was present for ultimately culminated in the institu- defendant, and Detective Sub. In-At a previous hearing Tsang was alleged to have been one of the party of armed Chinese who board-A Chinese scholar of no mean dis-jed Wu's junk at Nam Sha, Chinese

THEOSOPHY LECTURE

To-night, at 6 p.m., Dr. Arthur vice and to China was cut short by Fung will deliver his second lecture on "Theosophy, and Therapeutics," in the Lodge room of the Theoso-

Look Through "Telegraph"

50 YEARS AGO

A correspondent at Taku informs us that he hears on very good authority Further evidence of the growing that the Chinese Government has anxiety of British business men at authorised the construction of a rail-

> The first through express train from Paris arrived at Constantinople to-day. The marriage of Joseph Chamberlain

letter to The Times strongly supports | Church, Washington. The ceremony Mr. J. W. Nicholson's letter of De- was of the simplest possible descrip-

Jack Dempsey, the middle-weight champion pugilist of the world, and "It is indeed astounding that this Professor Mike Donovan, retired middle- (film 'Here's To Romance'); Here's clusive Japanese raiding preserve by fought, and the contest was declared a

25 YEARS AGO

The fifth annual ball arranged by the Talkoo Club was held at the Club Keller with Fred Hartley and His Corsaire Ballet'-Delibes)...cond. house, Quarry Bay, and was a most Keller with Fred Hartley and His Corsaire Ballet'-Delibes)...cond. successful affair. The attendance of Quintet and dialogue by Archie by B. Walton O'Donnell. Taikoo Club was held at the Club three hundred was the biggest on Campbell; Medley Of Marches; Intro: record. A splendid supper was presided Tin Can Fusiliers; Toy Town Parade;

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Court of Directors: Hon. Mr. D. Lundale (Deputy Chairman); G. Friesland, Esq.; E. Goetz ed in the Shanghai newspapers panese exports in 1938. He points Esq.; C. S. Gubbay, Esq.; P. H. caught the attention of Sir Robert out that what happened in Formosa, Holyoak, Esq.; G. R. Laurenz, Esq.; Hart, who immediately had him Korea and Manchukuo, where Bri- W. L. Pattenden, Esq., J. A. Plummer, Waltz (Ager); Rosetta (Woode, Len

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TEN YEARS AGO The failure of His Majesty to make of rearmament, social services and any improvement in his general condiinterest on loans if we increase, let tion was again marked, and anxiety Thomas); Interval Pretty Mocking of La Scala, Milan conducted by alone maintain, our export trade and sand sand anxiety Thomas); Interval Pretty Mocking Carlo Sabaino

> The Duke of Gloucester while huntshaking.

England - won - the Third Test Match by three wickets, thus performing the fent of winning the mythical "Ashes" China, Japan and Manchukuo and in Australia in the first three matches warns against facile assumptions of of the series of five. This is the first the collapse of Japanese finance and time England has won the "Ashes" in

ties and establish a Far Eastern bloc are well below overflow, big Tytam Tuk

FIVE YEARS AGO

The whole question of the local had no difficulty in again secur- reform. method of water distribution is involved ing a position with the local adowners have presented to the Govern- ministration; for his knowledge ment. In general, they are bound to of the vernacular tongue alone, issue has been brought to a head by was in that day of ignorance of performed, and Mr. Inglis re-Further evidence against Tsang empty flats, with excess water consump- apathy towards its study suffieconomic pressure, the tendency to everything Chinese, and general tion varying little, having brought |cient to insure an immediate ap-On his return from the Great War Yik-tak, 35, charged on three counts about a position where charges for such pointment in an official capacity in 1918, Mr. Braud was appointed to with having, with others not in cus- excess consumption are undoubtedly pointment in an official capacity the Shanghai Customs where he was tody, felonlously uttered a forged out of all proportion to property for the fortunate possessor. rovenue.

Following yesterday's Ladies' hockey the present "Customs Code." He also rency, on December 1, 1938, one for trial in preparation for the forthcoming visit of the Australian Ladies WHE most important of Mr. hockey team, a representative side was I Inglis' series of appointments TO these posts was later added R. Rose (St. Andrew's); E. M. Gray and incidentally the one through (H.K. Ladlen), B. Helbling (H.K. which he rendered the greatest Ludles); I. Woolley (St. Andrew's), J. Wong (St. Andrew's); M. Wallace (H.K. service to the Colony, was that Ladies): II. Kalli (C.B.S.), J. Dalziel of May 12, 1857 by which he was (H.K. Lndles); M. Woolley (St. Andrew's), J. Churchill (H.K. Lndles); O. designated "Governor of the Vic-Brown (Y.M.C.A. Ludies).

The wedding took place on Tues-

Government Audit Department, reports that his car No. 4394 was stolen from outside the Majestic Theatre in the inspectorate-General as he had also been told to come to the had also been told to come told to come to the had also been told to com Kao Li-hua, editor of the Pacific wondered at that the Gaol in- the populace, and at a meeting Hearing was adjourned until De- Digest. The witnesses were Mrs. Liu stead of being an institution for of the Legislative Council voted Wan-ngok, and Mr. Tam Sul-tong.

> The Sunday School children of the Kowloon Union Church had a most crime. enjoyable time yesterday afternoon. when a Christmas Party was held in the Church Hall. There were games and songs, and tea later in the after- MR. Inglis determined to in Hongkong had earned for

| Gerald Moore and Flute; 2. Mattinata

(Siede).

(e) Galop.

Inutile (Bonelli); 3. Intermezzo

8.0 Local Time Signal, Weather

4. Valse "Yrelise" (Militello); 5

Casanova Suite (Becce); Interval

lian Songs)....Light Opera Company

with Orch.; 6. Ballet for Orchestra

(Francis Popy); (a) Mazurka; (b)

Pizzicati; (c) Valse Lente (d) Largo;

8.30 London Relay—"At The Black

Mr. Wilkes at home in his own

9.0 The B.B.C. Wireless Military

9.15 London Relay -- "World

A talk by A. P. Newton, D. Litt.

Piero Pauli (Tenor), Nello Palai

9.30 London Relay-The News.

9.50 Fritz Kreisler (Violin).

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(Piano) with effects; Swance Moon (Towers and Pelosi)....Hawalian Wood at the Piano; So Many Caprice Viennois (Kreisler); Tam-II. Dodwell, Esq., (Chairman); Memories (Harry Woods); Every- bourin Chinols (Kreisler)....with thing You Said Came True (Friend Piano accomp. by Franz Rupp. and Franklin)....Turner Layton Vocal) at the Piano; The Winter Gipsy Comp (Traditional-arr. Mantovani) Mantovani and His Tipica Soprano), Carmen Melis (Soprano)

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THE MAN WHO

REFORM TO THE

COLONY

penal establishment were then,

to put it mildly—chaotic.

10.0 Schubert-Moments Musicaux Played by Ethel Leginska (Plano). 10.23 Puccini's "La Tosca" Act III. Sung by Giuseppe Bottini (Boy

(Tenor) and Giovanni Assimont. Bird (Bishop)....Mavis Bennett Carlo Sabajno. (Soprano) with Plano accomp. by 11.0 Close down.

useful trade. Those who were already the masters of some INTRODUCED - PRISON craft were organised into groups,

and given work to do. Thus there were blacksmiths, farriers, carpenters and the like. Under December, the water supply altuation the new land, he was evidently the first time since the institution the Hongkong side. All the reservoirs doomed to disappointment; for after staying in America for a Caine in 1843, were aided in year or so, we find him back in their efforts to rehabilitate Hongkong. Apparently, too, he themselves and achieve genuine

> necessary reforms was swiftly Colony. Perhaps in recognition of this work, the Executive Council in its meeting of August 25, 1857 decided to nominate him as Harbour Master and Marine Magistrate.

another,—that of Emigration Officer, but his sojourn in the Colony was to be cut short owto ill health. Bright's disease—that malady of the toria Gaol." His nomination to disease—that malady of the middle-aged man—attacked him, this post was indeed timely; for and rendered it imperative that and rendered it imperative that conditions in this time-honoured he should take a respite from his official duties. Accordingly, on March 1, 1861, he left for Eng-There was apparently nothing land. A grateful community, period of over five years. In 1929, B. Dewar yesterday, and he said he Gould, Deputy Registrar of Mar- much known of discipline save however, did not allow his de-Mr. Braud was placed in charge of the accompanied Tsang on the same ringes, of Mr. Robert Frosch, chemist, the frequent administration of parture to pass unnoticed, and a Conton Conton Conton Conton and to pass unnoticed, and a that important office during the Street, where defendant asked for who has been residing at the Koweventful period which followed until and obtained a parcel from a woman loon Hotel. The witnesses were Dr. erowded into their cells with a presented him with a handsome 1932. In March 1933, he was selected named Tsang Kiu. This was hand- B. Adamczewski and Mr. H. Pieleke. singular disregard to the finer gratuity of \$3,040 raised by pub-Frederick Maze, for the post of Commissioner of the Shanghai Customs which he held until January 1935 when he proceeded on leave, On 1935 when leaves are leaves and found to contain 1935 when leaves are leaves and found to contain 1935 when leaves are leaves and found to contain 1935 when leaves are leaves and found to contain 1935 when leaves are leaves and found to contain 1935 when leaves are leaves and found to contain 1935 when leaves are leaves are leaves and found to contain 1935 when leaves are leaves are leaves and found to contain 1935 when leaves are leaves are leaves and found to contain 1935 when leaves are leaves are leaves are leaves and found to contain 1935 when leaves are leaves are leaves are leaves and found to contain 1935 when leaves are leaves a the reform of the criminal to award him an annual pension classes, had become a school of of £163. 6s. 8d.

Mr. Inglis, however, did not long survive to enjoy the emoluments which his term of service remedy all this, and at once him; for he died in the latter instituted sweeping changes in part of the 'sixties. Thus passyesterday on Leung Chuen 17, un- in-law to M. Lepissier, now French of the lectures arranged for Manuk A lecture will be given by Mr. the mediaeval order of the ed the man who made his office charge of dealing an election of the lecture will be given by Mr. Lodge, Theosophical Society, are: A. L. Fisher in St. Andrew's Church the mediaeval order of the ed the man who made his office charge of dealing an election of the lecture will be given by Mr. the mediaeval order of the ed the man who made his office charge of dealing an election of the lecture will be given by Mr. Lodge, Theosophical Society, are: charge of stealing an electric motor Braud was left a widower by his January 12, "Theosophy and Hall on Thursday, January 26, com- famous prison, Workshops were of "Governor of Victoria Gaol"



had done as I was told-

Give me

this nasty cold!

wouldn't have



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Nonsense

WHAT A LOT of nonsense news agencies sometimes send us about international affairs!

Two European Powers, Franco and Italy, shout rude remarks at one another.

As a result, misguided people pull long faces and talk of war. As if incidents like this are not always part of our present inadequate form of civilisation. We have had them in the past and will have them in the future. Worse incidents. Grave

tension. And no war came of Fashoda, for instance. "Encyclopaedia Britannica" tells you about it. A place beside the Nile, where British and French

forces met in 1898. France sought to link up her possessions in West Africa with those at the entrance to the Red Sea. And Kitchener hurried up the Nile to head them off.

Europe was filled with alarm. Nothing came of it. For Kitchener persuaded the French commander to evacuate Fashoda. Though some Frenchmen cried out against the "Pact of Shame", the tension passed away. And six years later Britain and France made an entente which included a complete settlement of their colonial differences.

The disputes which bulk so large one day fade away into nothing the next.

The air is always full of rights

and wrongs. When the Tunisia and Djibouti grievances die down we will find more waiting. There are lots of people in Europe who seem to want to say their piece, and thump the big drum. There is a queue of oppressed nations seeking sympathy.

say perhaps somebody will start | world. to talk sense to that silly continent that is Europe.

It is time the nations there settled down to the job of deciding how they are going to live alongside one another instead of trying to live on top of one another.

Until the dawn of that happy expensive cables telling us about | Shanghai. new crises and new wrangles.

Postscript

Lady Drummond-Hay,

who recently visited Hongkong, sends from London this absorbing article on

Defending This Empire

gambling on British Empire.

The Shape of Things to Come, the British Empire." that is to me one of the most Some American commentators most important factors looming jand might fall under

Envious of the wealth and thereby. happiness of the free British One writer holds that "only a number I have not counted se- I had known Colonel Holt when of the British people.

Our love of peace, admittedly sometimes expressed too vehemently, has occasionally been tion of nation-wide fear.

if by "fear" is understood a deep-rooted national revulsion against the folly and crime of there is not to-day, never has been "fear" to fight for country, Empire and all we hold dear.

would rather talk of peace than the appearance on the European tary and air strategy for the Emmistake.

ter Neville Chamberlain's flight able for the time being. details in proper relation one to wide. the other, nor can we judge the The Empire embraces ninety- chatted in Singapore with Major- mand for the former German wisdom of the Premier in allow- two countries, states dominions, General W. G.S. Dobbie, General ing Adolf Hitler the exaltation, of that triumph and the conqueror at Munich. What many Hitler's sweeping success in the Czecho-Slovakian crisis, no British interests were sacrificed at Munich. -

Munich however, have had an inevitable consequence and effect which should by no means be underestimated. That is loss of prestige. Small nations can lafford to be indifferent to prestige. Not Empires or Great Powers. Prestige has for many decades been Britain's most influential factor, not only within When they have all had their | the Empire but all over the

Munich projected the world- that the prison system of the King's College, London. wide question "Is the British Colony was remodelled so that Empire on the Decline?" Ger- prisoners were provided with mans and Italians openly affirm suitable employment and that THIS was followed on December it. Americans suspect it. German, Italian publications discuss it. The question is asked in letters I receive from America, MR. Andrew Lysaught Inglis it is probable that the experience day, we will still go on receiving | Singapore, Hongkong, India and

The author reflects such extraordinary prejudices against Fascist Roman England, and goes to such lengths to prove his contention, and Nazi Panthat it is difficult to believe he together. With can be by birth an Englishman.

militaristic Imperial Japan, Some American newspapers have been and still are open- interpret the forthcoming visit the of the King and Queen to Canada "Decline and Fall" of the and the United States next June in the light of a "Royal S O S to America"—that in effect, it is As the New Year foreshadows an appeal to America to "save

significant, certainly one of the point to a possibility that Engon the horizon, which the diplo-domination of the Dictators, and macy and power of Adolf Hitler, go so far as to attribute Presiof Benito Mussolini and the am-dent Roosevelt's gigantic rebitions of Japan want to weave armament programme to that tion against foreign invasion is Colonel H. B. Holt, Commissioninto their pattern of the Future, idea, and America's isolation directly or indirectly guaranteed er of Defence and Security in

peoples which is a constant re- resurgence of the one-time na- parately the innumerable Indian I was in Abyssinia during the proach to their systems, covetous tional spirit of the 'Bull-dog States. of British territories, somewhat breed' sweeping the Empire" British Naval strategy is in- Military attache and I was intoxicated by sensational suc- can save Britain. Others main- dicated by no fewer than twnety- guest of the Emperor Haile cesses born in part of bold bluff, tain that Mr. Chamberlain is six Naval bases and stations. Selassie at the latter's military and in part of our own unpre-shrewdly playing for time for British Royal Air Force air bases Headquarters at Dessie. paredness, the Fascist and Nazi two purposes, to increase Bri- and commercial aerodromes are regimes are deceiving them tain's defensive strength, and to scattered over a line eleven thou selves as to the real sentiment come to an understanding with sand miles long to far off New

from averse to such an under- one-third of Germany's standing misinterpreted as a manifesta- standing provided it is on a fifty- army. fifty basis. In view of the grow- That the Central Government We in England did fear war, ing aggressiveness of the Dicta- in London in formulating policy, tor nations, an ever-increasing more especially in times of grave ple are in favour of closer co- ly influenced by the advice of the war. But there was not then, operation with Britain, despite Imperial General Staff and the

The spirit of England is very QINCE THE END of the World "front" in the world, is obvious. much alive, even though we War, more particularly since The problems of naval, miliof war. Those who take the stage of the Dictator powers, pire which from time to time absence of sabre-rattling and Britain's policy has been shaped confront the Admiralty and Imtruculence as a sign of national and fixed by the necessities, perial General Staff and its cowardice will discover their limitations, even weaknesses of Chief, Lord Gort, whom I first Empire strategy.

policy dictates military strategy Expeditionary Force, are more WE ARE YET too close to the on land, sea and in the air. If difficult than those which any tive of the value of Prime Minis- is in the circumstances unavoid- solve.

to Berchtesgaden in September. It should be recalled that the T WAS PARTICULARLY imhumbling his own pride, the British Empire extends more pressed with this thought been a well-informed source, pride of his high office, of the than sixteen thousand miles when early this year (1938), I that Adolf Hitler also told Mr. Empire and of the British peo- around the globe, and in Africa slew within sight of Malta, saw Pirow, the South African Minisple. We cannot see the evolving this belt is three thousand miles the Royal Air Force bases near ter, on his visit to Der Fuehrer

GRIN AND BEAR IT



"It's a little annuity I took out for Junior-it'll make a nice nest egg when he grows up and needs bail."

possessions, provinces, colonies, Officer in command of Singapore mandates, dependencies and pro- Fortress and of all the Mainy Detectorates, not to mention those fence Forces. countries such as Egypt, Trans- By the end of another week, I by Great Britain. In the above that vital Empire possession.

Zealand. Britain's peacetime President Roosevelt, I have military forces on land in this armament" in our Press. good reason for believing, is far vast Empire number scarcely

proportion of the American peo- international crisis, is necessarithe isolationist school of thought. Admiralty, and must take into consideration the strategical requirements on this, the longest

met in China in 1927 when he for the New Year. In strong nations, political was Chief of Staff of the British picture to gain real perspect the reverse is true in England, it other nation is called upon to

iordania and Iraq, whose protec- was in Hongkong talking to

war there. He was the British

deal of paper and ink "re-

Promises and hopes of the headliness and what was printed below them, have not always been fulfilled. This has been especially applicable to our air armament. If it has deceived anyone, it has been the British people themselves. Paper pasted over a hole does not long conceal the void.

Necessity of maintaining the military secrets of national defence has furnished ground for rumours and reports exaggerating our weakness in the air.

That we are growing stronger is evident from welcome signs that the British Lion is bestirring himself and swishing his tail. That is a cheerful promise

A pity only, that Colonial Secretary Malcolm MacDonald watered his promise regarding the British Colonies with the qualification that it is "not now" an issue.

I hear from what has hitherto Baghdad, and three days later in Berchtesgaden, that his de-(Continued on Page 11.)

sciousness of a victorious con- T. Paul Gregory's Series on Old Hongkong

people still overlook is the fact that aside from British prestige, THE MAN WHO INTRODUCED PRISON REFORM TO THE COLONY

capacity during the early days that he was looked upon as a which rendered him invaluable was Mr. Andrew Lysaught most likely young man for future to the Government in an age Inglis, Harbour Master and advancement. In fact, his rise when the majority of Europeans Marine Magistrate, but better in office was, to say the least, scorned such an accomplishment known in old Hongkong as the almost meteoric; his first ap- as beneath their dignity. "Governor of Victoria Gaol." pointment was announced on

bane of every convict's lifeidleness-was abolished.

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, W. was born in England about gained on the Magistracy Bench the year 1820. As there is practive was of the greatest assistance sometime in June 1849, in comtically no biographical matter to him in later years when he removes twenty or thirty available concerning his early successfully carried out his plan life or family the exact date is of reforming the Hongkong AN ENGLISHMAN, Robert not known. It is known, how-penal system in its entirety. Wo haven't written an Briffault, living in America, ever, that he was one of the first In the meantime, he was deeditorial about Wang Ching-wel. has given impetus to the thought European residents of the voting a great deal of his leisure We do not intend to write an and doubt with a sensational Colony as he arrived here in to the mastery of the Cantonese

likeable personality who ser-| Magistrate's office, but so effi-| tained an insight into Chinese Berchtesgaden, Godesberg and A likeable personanty who ser- magistrates onice, but so the psychology and mode of thought, Mr. Inglis was a man of the July 16, 1845 as successor to Mr. loftiest humanitarian senti-ments, and, on this account, General, who had resigned his could be remembered by re-position in order to accept the sidents of the present day; for Chair of Professor of Chinese resignation. No reason for this Berchtesgaden, Godesberg and it was entirely due to his efforts Language and Literature in unexpected course is given in

10th of the same year with the additional appointment of Assistant Police Magistrate, and

editorial about Wang Ching-wel. book just out, entitled 'The De June 1848. | colloquial, and while he never of California. Whatever may That gentleman has already cline and Fall of the British Em- His first position in Hongkong became a fluent speaker of this received too much free publicity. pire." yet ob-

the official records, but from Mr. Inglis' own remarks it appears that his act was entirely voluntary, and due solely to his desire to proceed to California in order to join the gold rush, which had : now developed into a veritable stampede, luring thousands of every race and condition.

Mr. Inglis left the Colony other Hongkong residents, largely discontented adventurers from Sydney, as well as a number of erstwhile sailors before the mast, who had thrown up their buths in order to answer the magic callhave been Mr. Inglis hopes in

(Continued on Page 5.)

G.M.C. HEAR AMAZING TALE DOCTOR AND MARRIED WOMEN

"Guilty" But Not Struck Off

N amazing story of a married doctor and a married woman, in which allegations of blackmail were made, was told in London recently to the General Medical Council.

Dr. John Christopher Jones, of Glebe, South Yardley, Birmingham, was found guilty of "infamous conduct in a professional respect" by committing adultery with the woman, Mrs. Hesba Woodman, usually known as Mrs. H. M. B. Jones, of Washwood Heath-road, Birmingham, on March 6, 1934, while he was her medical adviser.

The council, however, decided not to erase his name from the medical register.

complainant in the case was Mr. Jones. Edward Jones, no relative to anyone in the case, but a lifelong friend of Mrs. Woodman and her family.

Mr. Pereira said that in 1922 or 1923 Dr. Jones was medical adviser at Portlee, near Trure, to Mrs. Blamey and her two daughters, Mrs. Puckey and Mrs. Woodman.

Mrs. Woodman, however, was then known as Miss Blamey-she had kept her marriage secret from everyone, even her mother.

In 1926 Dr. Jones was asked by the husband to attend Mrs. Woodman at her second confinement.

After this, according to Dr. Jones, she began to pester him. Dr. Jones moved to Chatham and the Blameys followed him. Later he went to Australia for 21/2 years, returning in 1931 to go into partnership with his brother in Birmingham.

A CRY

Giving evidence, Mr. Edward Mrs. Woodman had gone away to Jones said that at Chatham in his commit suicide. presence Dr. Jones tried to induce leave his own family.

He had been paying Mrs. Wood- when I went that it was true. man £1 a week.

Station-road, Birmingham. 1934, he said at lunch time he was in brought her back." the kitchen and the children in the drawing room.

her cry out and I went to the door. continuing. "Dr. Jones was then about to come

"He said to me, Is this what you tacked me.

"The children came on the scene, against me. Mrs. Woodman was on the settee, cry-

ture was broken.

were very frightened. Eventually I committed adultery. escorted the doctor out of the door. treatment and it was time he put that and upsetting the furniture?- Just a sort of thing out of his head and let puck of lies. her live a decent life.

"His reply," said Mr. Jones, "was always the same: 'I love her and I want her to go away with me. shall never be happy until she does."

"IN PUBLIC INTEREST"

Cross-examined by Mr. G. D. Roberts, K.C., for the doctor, Mr. Jones agreed that he was charging Dr. Jones with rape four and a half years ago, of which he knew at the

Mr. Roberts: You say you are bringing this charge for protection? -In the interests of the general

I suggest to you this charge is brought because Dr. Jones has refused to pay you and Mrs. Woodman any more money?--No.

I suggest that in the middle of October of this year you sent a message to Dr. Jones saying that you would withdraw the charge if he would resume payments?—This is the first word I have ever heard of such a thing.

Have you constantly used the threat of this tribunal as a lever to get money out of him?—I have never used that threat at all at any time. Mr. Roberts: I have to suggest to you that you are a liar and blackmailer.—I am not a liar, and

am certainly not a blackmaller. Mr. Jones denied that before Dr. Jones went to Australia he (the doctor) sent Mrs. Woodman £100. Mr. Roberts: On the occasion of this rapo-March 0, 1934-was Mrs. Woodman screaming for you?-Yes.

Mr. Roberts produced two cheques from Dr. Jones made out in the name! of Mrs. Jones. They were dated 27- held under the auspices of the Social nations," Mr. MacDonald assured the 3-34 and 28-3-34, and were for £2 and £3.

Mr. Roberts: In addition to your 8 last, under the chairmanship of lonial Office and the Colonial massive irradiation from a large threats to Dr. Jones, dld you begin in 1938 also threatening his wife?-I have never spoken to her and I would not know her if I saw her. Dld you telephone her and usk her if she was interested in divorce?--

Mr. Roberts' last question was, "I Colonies, In the course of a speech on Islam. suggest that none of your actions in in which he defined the goal of Bri- For comparison with British ad- pitals. this matter has been actuated by tish Government as "the ultimate es- ministration in Africa and Malaya. motives of public benefit; I suggest tablishment of the various colonial Mr. Hobart-dealt, with Indian and Developments by Stockholm and

Mr. A. S. Pereira said the "No, they have not," replied Mr. "SAVED"

> Mr. Percira said he had been instructed by Mr. Jones that if the evidence of Mrs. Woodman, which would be of a painful nature, could not be given in camera, and unless she could be referred to as Mrs. Jones, and not as Mrs. Woodman, he would not allow her to be called.

The council refused the application, and so the case for the complainant closed.

In evidence Dr. Jones said Mrs. Woodman was always saying that she had saved him-meaning that she could have reported him to the coun-

Mr. Roberts: Is there any truth

with great emotion, said: "I received telephone calls that

"These calls came repeatedly dur- widow of the man he killed. Mrs. Woodman to go to Australia ing the day and finally there came the bottom of my heart you will be and appreciate your services." with him, saying he was willing to a call late in the evening, asking me to go there. I went. I believed able to continue your good work

"Mrs. Puckey (Mrs. Woodman's In September 1932 he moved to sister) told me Mi. Jones had found Describing the scene on March 6, on the railway station and had but he pleaded in vain.

VISIONS OF COURT

"I had visions she might have out of the dining-room door with the committed suicide. She might throw intention of leaving, but I stopped herself under a railway train. She might do away with herself.

..."I had visions of a coroner's inwant?' put his hands up and at- quest, identifying the body, and sort for being drunk in charge of a car. to-day to sentence me a second lime of opprobrium which might be hurled

Mr. Roberts: Is there any truth and a glass of beer. "When I saw him next I told him whatever in this story of rape at midthat I was tired of that method of day and her screaming and fighting

> Dr. Jones enumerated the large number of payments he had made, including sums for rent and rates, and added, 'There was always the suggestion behind these payments that they were saving me from the General

Medical Council. Dr. Jones said after the complaint had been made to the G.M.C. Mrs. Puckey suggested it might be withdrawn if he resumed payments of 30s, a week. Mr. Douglas Bartley (legal asses-

sor): Were you the father of any of these children?—The only possibility is the third, and that seems to me to be extremely unlikely.

The council then gave their ver- lute. dict after a short retirement.



Pauline Neubronner and Cynthia and Rosalind, daughters of Mr. D. O. Sliver, as they appeared in the Y.M.C.A. Pantomime, "Cinderella",-King's Studio.

myself are both well. I have met

MOTHER'S SYMPATHY

G.M.C. Hear Widow's Divided Plea For Doctor Who Time Killed Her Husband Between

whatever in this allegation of rape?

Absolutely none.

Asked to tell what happened on the large of the large that the large the large that t Asked to tell what happened on General Medical Council in London entirely to blame. They would have March 6, 1934, Dr. Jones, speaking recently, Dr. David Davidson Wat- some grudge against me, but they son, of Wakefield, serving a 20 don't." months' sentence for manslaughter. The widow wrote: "I thought I read letters from the mother and must write you again to say baby and

> The widow said: "I hope from several people lately who knew you among the sick.".

sister) told me Mi. Jones had found her rushing about like a wild thing but he pleaded in train

ning again, you will make good." be erased. Watson was sentenced at Man- Watson said that he had no pri-"Dr. Jones and Mrs. Woodman Dr. Jones foltered and sat with his chester Assizes in July for man- vate means and no other calling. were in the dining-room. I heard head in his hands for a minute before slaughter by killing a cyclist as he His friends had stood by him. drove a car while under the influence doctor had offered him help.

> solicitor to the Council, said that hour, by the day, by the week, and Watson was before the Council in by the month. May, 1936, following a conviction cyclist turned into his path from the

"When she came I was terribly re- wrong side of the road; he swerved lieved to see her alive, and I went to his own wrong side to avoid this stated that Watson's present punishsideboard capsized and some furni- feeling terribly grateful that she his proper side two other cyclists ly hoped that he might have the hadn't committed suicide. I held her rode in front of him. He hit the opportunity of assisting him. "The children screamed. They light, and she held on to me, and I back wheel of one of the machines. He had had two small whiskles

"THE IRONY OF IT"

"I have come from prison to-day, and to prison I go back to-night," Watson said. "What my reactions will be in prison to-night--whether different from what they have been before-depends on you, gentlemen. "The irony of the thing is that the unfortunate person who was killed was a patient of my own. Since going to prison I have had letters from his wife and from his mother.

Mrs. Robey's Divorce Court Plea

Mrs. Ethel Wade, wife of George Robey, the comedian, recently ap-Mr. Bartley: You are not the father plied to Mr. Justice Langton, in the of the first or second?—Definitely Divorce Court, to have a decree nisi granted to her in April made abso-

School At Oxford

Colonial Administration will be held in 1940 is an-

nounced by the Oxford Society in the winter number

of their journal, "Oxford," published recently. It is

generally thought, state the Society, that it would be

a mistake to make the School an annual event.

Professor Coupland, with Miss Per- Governments.

THAT the University's next Summer School on

The marriage took place in 1898

London.

-Bigamy case Allegation

Sald to have spent half the week with his wife and the other half with a woman he is alleged to have mar-The doctor pleaded that to be The mother's letter said: "I hope ried bigamously, Henry de la Beroffer you my sympathy. I am sure at Clerkenwell committed for trial The Council ordered his name to that, given an opportunity of begin- on a charge of bigamy.

Annie de la Bertauche, Allandale Crescent, said it was about two years A ago that prisoner, whom she married at Islington in 1914, began spending

He spoke of his 20 months' dis | only three days a week at home. Mr. F. P. Winterbotham, acting comfort, "to be measured by the the other woman came to make in-When her husband was in hospital quiries about him. "I asked him if it was true that he was married to "You are, in effect, being asked the other lady. He said 'Yes." Esther Parker, a cleaner of Liver-

Watson told the Council that a for the same offence," he declared. | pool Road, Islington, was called. He produced a number of letters. "Have you been living with anyone?" One from the Mayor of Wigan she was asked.

"My husband, of course," was her "We had a fight, during which the up to her, put my arms around her, cyclist, and as he was returning to ment was severe and that he sincere- reply, with a nod towards the dock. "On certain days he goes to work all night," she explained.

traffic three young research A large unit of radium was lent years to study the effect of two five gramme "bombs" of radium. massive quantities of radium on A year later another five gramme

be published by the Medical ing with encouraging results. Research Council in about a Colonial Administration fortnight's time.

This was hinted recently by Sir William Bragg, president of the Chief Engineer of Ship At Royal Society, who declared that the research had proceeded "with no little success."

King's College Hospital; Dr. T. An- loon Dock at 3 a.m. on Wednesday. thony Green, assistant radiotherapist, who came to this country from New Zenland, and Mr. L. G. Grimmett, physicist, who installed the original radium plant at Westminster Hospital. They have worked in co-operation

with Dr. Roy Ward, medical director The second session of the School commonwealth of peoples and of the Radium Institute. Research has been with a method Studies Research Committee at Lady Vice-Chancellor of the warm support known to scientists as "beam Margaret Hall from June 27 to July accorded to the School by the Co- | therapy," in which use is made of

quantity of radium.

hum as vice-chairman. More than The sequence of lectures followed | First experiments on these lines 150 Colonial officials home on leave an inaugural address by Lord were made just after the war with attended, including 21 from Malaya Lugard. The background of world 21/2 grammes of radium from the (three of whom were Malays).

The session was opened by the by Sir Alfred Ernest Barker and Mr. indicating purposes. The results were by Coe-Chancellor of the University H. D. Henderson, while Lord Lothlan so discouraging that after 18 months and the Secretary of State for the spoke on India and Professor Gibb the experiment ended and the radium was distributed among hos-

NEW COMMITTEE they all have been actuated by mo- communities as solf-supporting and Monsieur Marzorati with Belgian Paris scientists ladicated the need for tives of blackmail."

Administration.

Inthey experiment with members of a great Administration.

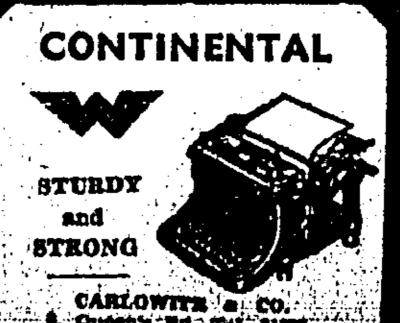
IN a laboratory barely out of titles, and five years ago an inearshot of the Oxford Street vestigation committee for Radium workers have laboured for five by Belgium, and work began with "bomb" was obtained.

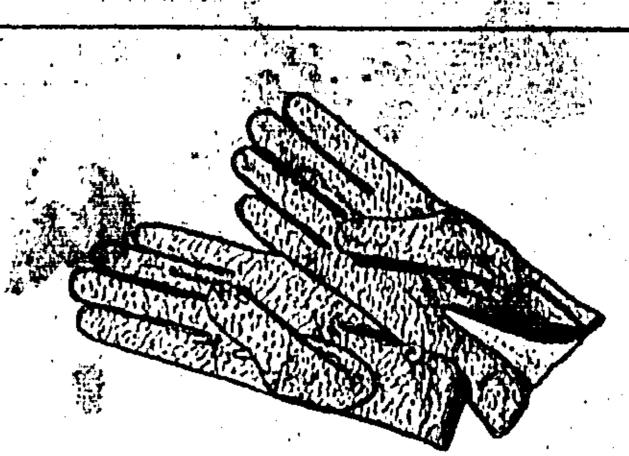
Attention was concentrated on the An important advance in the treatment of management and upper air campaign against cancer may passages, and the Medical Research be announced in the report on Council have recorded from time to their first four years' work to time that the research was proceed-

EUROPEAN MISSING

Kowloon Dock

Charles Christian, aged about 60, The three workers are Miss Con- of Aberdeen, chief engineer of the stance A. P. Wood, radiotherapist, British ship Deslock, has been missing since he left the vessel at Kow-Christian walked off the ship at the eastern jetty and has not been heard of since. His clothes and other belongings are in his cabin. A search in the vicinity and inquiries by the police have been





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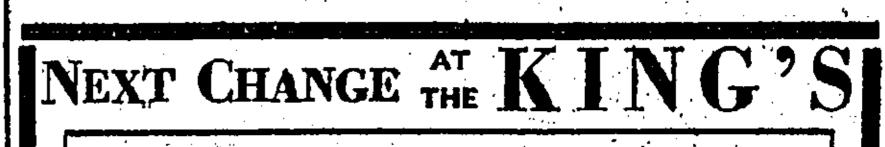
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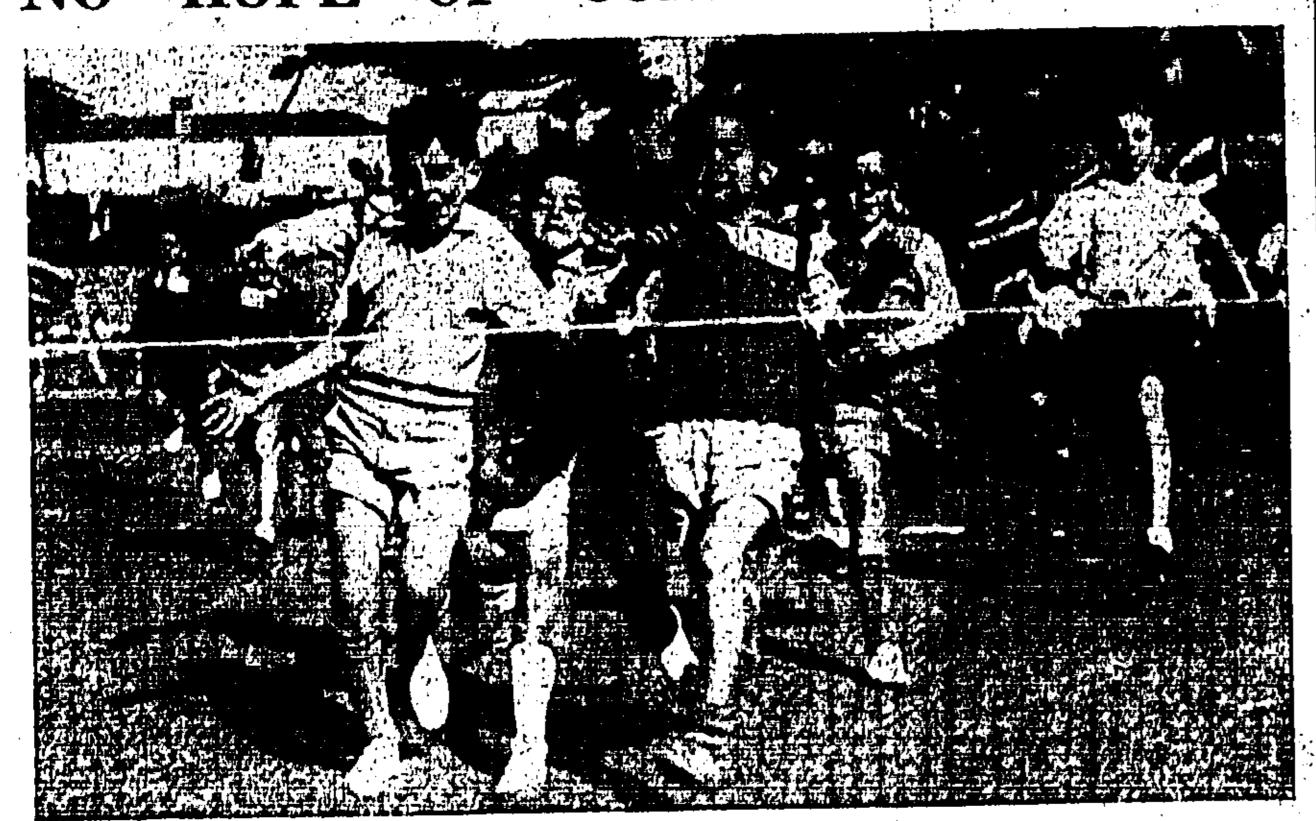
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THROUGH!



WHAT A FINISH!-The poor chap in the middle is having a tough time getting through. The finishof one of the boys' races at the Children's Annual Sports held at the Kowloon Cricket Club on New Year's Day .-- Photo by A. A. Kahn.

Here And There -With "Abe"-

Better Umpires Needed relied to-day why he caused the postponement of his bout with postponement of his bout with Ceferino Garcia of the Philippines now cabling Cotton offering to the postponement of his bout with the postponement of his bout w For Junior Cricket

who is present on the ground when ness of the decision. innings commences or what players are available to officiate—a Queer Decisions haphazard procedure which should

of the senior skippers by having who had been given out l.b.w. only

WITH the Junior League matches | their own umpires or seeing | with the Filipino "bolo puncher." * starting on Saturday, this is as to it that the people they send out good a time as other to bring up a to take charge of a match know that would satisfy the fans, he "took point in connection with cricket something about the laws of the a couple of good heavy falls in front muneration for a five-weeks tour in matches in the Colony to which game. A little pain taken in this of several witnesses" to cause post- the States would be £2,000 clear," sufficient attention, I feel, has never matter at the start might save a great ponement of the bout.—United Press. he says. been paid. I refer to the question of deal of embarrassment and even unumpires for our League matches, pleasantness later on. It is all very While many senior teams take the well to say that an umpire's decision trouble to bring along their own is final, but when one is given out umpires, few junior sides do; and by an umpire who obviously does not the ball was outside the leg stump consequently the choice of officials in know much about the laws of cricket, junior games generally depends upon one cannot help doubting the correct-

preciate that it would be most realise how poor the standard of signalling a wide after the batsman jump. difficult for the League to supply umpiring is. Only this season I have had hit the ball! The umpire was umpires for every match; but at the seen some very peculiar decisions hazy about the rules after all same time, it is equally obvious to anything about how very little about cricket. Worth The Trouble the standard of umpiring in local junior games that something should be done in the matter. It is only fair to both batsmen and bowlers same "umpire" knew nothing else cricketers have to contend with here. that greater discrimination be shown except "middle stump" when a bats- All these would not have arisen if the in the selection of umpires where points are at stake.

Captain's Duty

Captain's Duty

All these would not have arisen-if the captains had shown greater displayed during the present season, junjor teams seem to be fairly evenly—not the stump who do not have arisen-if the captains had shown greater displayed during the present season, junjor teams seem to be fairly evenly—not then to the stumps! There was matched and competition is certain to play a round with 21-13; beat Castro and Arcuit 21-12. Gibb, the forksing and Arcuit 21-13; beat Castro and Arcuit 21-13; beat Castro and Arcuit 21-12. Gibb, the forksing and Arcuit 21-13; beat Castro and Arcuit 21-14. The fork in the cast and a social arcuit 21-14. The fork in the cast and a social arcuit 21-14. The fork in the cast and a social arcuit 21-15. The fork in the cast and a social arcuit 21-15. The fork in the cast and a social arcuit 21-15. The fork in the cast and a social arcuit 21-15. The fork in the cast and a social arcuit 21-15. The fork in the cast and a social arcuit 21-15. The fork in the cast and a social arcuit 21-15. The fork in the cast and a social arcuit 21-15. The fork in the cast arcuit 21-15. The fork in the cast I and elsewhere who do not another instance of an umpire who to be very keen. In the circumsbelieve in the League system. But gave a man not out in the following tances, extra care should be taken the fact remains that we have a circumstances. A batsman jumped that decisions given are as fair as League competition in Hongkong, and out to hit a ball and missed it; the can be: it would be extremely unthis being so, it is only right that it ball also beat the wicket-keeper and fortunate if bad decisions were be conducted properly. I am not was deflected to first slip, who allowed to affect the result of any suggesting that the League should promptly threw down the wicket with League game. To avoid this, come forth now and appoint two the batsman still out of his crease, captains ought to pay a little more umpires for every official game. Of An appeal, of course, was made and attention to the question of umpires. course, this would be the best step the umpire's verdict was "Not Out." The trouble is worth it. to take, and one of these days per- His reason: the ball was dead! haps we will see it done; but at There was another classic example Snooker Record the present moment the next best of ignorance of the rules which thing would be for the captains proved extremely amusing at the TO settle all arguments regarding either to follow the foot-steps time to everyone except the batsman what is a record break at

At the Banquet held at the Guildhall, London, on Wednesday, Nov. 9th, 1938, Sir Frank Bowater, Lord Mayor, the following wines were served:---

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ARMSTRONG BIG HOAX

Los Angeles, Dec. 23. "Homicide" Henry Armstrong revealed to-day why he caused the Nov. 2 to Nov. 25.

weight champion said he knew he their sporting stars setting the pace was not in condition when he finish- in the matter of fees, but here is a ed training for the welter title bout Britisher out-stripping them all.

Knowing he could not give a fight

the over before. When he got back to the pavilion, he maintained that at the time it hit his pads, and muttered something to the effect that the umpire did not know what he was doing. His team-mates merely laughed, thinking that it was just the complaint of a disgruntled batsman;

snooker?" I have elicited the official views of Mr. J. C. Bisset, chairman of the Billiards Association and he carns more than any of his con-Control Council, writes Geoffrey | temporaries.

sible under all normal circumstances is heavily insured, and by his attitude is 147, that being 15 reds, 15 blacks, towards those in search of his serand all colours up to the black.

pointed out. "that a player might financially independent. score a break of 155. If one player committed a foul and left the next player could then pot a colour (counting as a red) and the black, and proceed to collect the 147 in addition. In the event of such a thing happening, we should have to recognise It as a record break of

Standard

TO settle another argument, all world-record breaks have to be in made on standard-size tables. The difference in pocket aperture between the official standard table and some club tables is often quite small, but an eighth of an inch can make a vast difference to a first-class professional.

Joe Davis's new world's record of 138, made recently was accomplished on a standard table, and the table has already been officially measured.

One More Attempt

MALTER Hagen, four times winner of the British Open Golf title, does not intend to retire until he has had at least one more shot at the champlonship,

At the age of 40 the famous American golfer was said to be contemplating retirement, but he said that he was keenly anticipating a trip to Britain next year.

Hagen, who is reputed to have arrived £50,000 during his 25 years' golfing career, added that all he form in nearly every rugger match hoped for was a "break" in the played by the Navy this sesson, weather. "I'm bound to get one be-especially in the Triangular Tourns-fore I put away my tools," he said, ment—Photo by A. A. Kahn.

"THE PILGRIM" TAKES A HOLIDAY

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

As "The Pilgrim," our Hockey Correspondent, is on holiday. no Hockey Notes are being published to-day, nor for the next two Thursdays. "The Pilgrim's" next contribution will appear on Thursday, January 19.

Henry Cotton Asks

(By Geoffrey Simpson)

London, Nov. 25. WITH a new four-years contract with Ashridge Golf Club in his pocket, and the way clear for him to Although he had scored only 29 he travel abroad, Henry Cotton, the man of surprises, has given his fellow-professionals something else to bite on . He is requesting a payment of £2,000 for his proposed five-weeks tour of America.

You can imagine them saying "What! £2,000 for five weeks. Why -that's £400 a week for playing golf. Whit a nerve he's got!"

are liable to be surprised. In the The Negro welterweight and light- United States they are accustomed to

expenses pald. "I think a fair re-

"I shall be losing money, anyway, by not taking part in the early British tournaments-and then there's my work at Ashridge."

ENVIOUS EYES

There is no doubt that the spectacle 21-1. of Cotton pulling down £5,000 a year causes envious eyes to be cast from certain quarters. And the way not be allowed to continue in important matches. Everyone will apJunior cricket in the Colony end, the umpire was seen frantically is going to make a further upward

> straight-forward golf show. He is and O. el Arculli 21-12. expected to give a talk on golf technique and demonstrate different

I his routine for a job such 'as this American trip, he takes the attitude "My price is so-and-so. If you can't pay it, or don't wish to, then we won't bother each other further."

INDEPENDENT

Do you blame him? I don't. And if some of those who are so ready to attack his assessment of himself would only stop to think, they would realise that Henry Cotton is doing a great deal to raise the standard of the golf professional.

The Cotton methods pay. Though not at present the open champion,

He owns a house which cost He agrees that the maximum oos- £5,000, and eight acres of land. He vices he has evidently reached the "But it is just conceivable," he happy stage of being more or less And he is only 31.



Licut, Skelton, who has been in fine

BADMINTON LEAGUE RESUMES

St. John's defeated St. Andrew's "B" by 9-0 in the "B" Division of Moreover, Our Henry wants his the Badminton League last evening.

Scores: . F. H. Kwok and R. Beaven beat A. S. Bliss and J. Tomlinson 21-6, beat S. A. Broadbridge and F. H. Stokes 21-0, beat L. Gibson and S. Darby 21-10;

M. Smith and P. Wilson beat Bliss and Cordon was stumped by X. Balaskas, c Paynter, b Verity
Tomlinson 21-4, beat Broadbridge and Ames from Goddard for a duck. A. Melville, b Verity
Stokes 21-9, beat Gibson and Darby 21-1. The innings closed at 280 and South G. Gordon, st. Ames, b Goddard D. Kwok and B. Newman beat Bliss

and Tomlinson 21-11, beat Broadbridge and Stokes 21-19, beat Gibson and Darby K. TONG v. V.R.C.

Victoria Recreation Club beat Kow- of Farnes' second over, an out- Farmes loon Tong "B" by 5 games to 4. swinger, into the hands of Ames after Edrich N. A. E. Mackay and A. Chan (K. scoring only one run. The total was Goddard In a short while he starts a stage Tong "B") lost to T. Xavier and S. two. appearance at the London Colliseum A. Rumjahn 15-21; beat W. Fisher After this, however, Van Der Byl Verity 36.6 13 appearance at the London Will be a and A. Ulrich 21-7; beat F. Castro and Rowan batted confidently. They Fall of wickets:—1 (Van Der Byl)

If you want to play a round with 21-13; beat Castro and Arculli 21-12. Gibb, the Yorkshire and Cambridge (Melville) for 283. jahn 13-21; bent Fisher and Uirich and Rowan 38.

BRADDOCK. HARVEY BOUT NOT

New York, Dec. 30. Tex Sullivan, speaking on behalf of Joe Gould, manager of Jimmy Braddock, former world heavyweight champion, said yesterday that nothing whatsoever had been settled and nothing signed for the proposed contest between Jim Braddock and Len Harvey, the British champion.

expenses."

Mr. Armand Vincent, well-known is said to be consulting his Board of the competion as they had more of Heap scored. Directors to-day.

Earl's Court in London either on May everything but put the ball into the 10 or 11. 10 or 11.

nouncement of the bout was made in keeper, had the misfortune to knock London yesterday, as Braddock had the ball into the net when tackled by told the world of his retirement some Williams. months ago, after defeating Farr .-

HOCKEY TEAM

Hongkong Hockey Club against H.M.S. "Hermes" on the club ground at King's Park at 5 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 6. The Club will play in white

II. F. Shields; L. F. Stokes, W. Schnabel; W Brown, H. J. D. Lowe

SECOND CRICKET TEST ENDS IN TAME DRAW AT CAPE TOWN

After the failure of the M.C.C. to dismiss the remaining South African wickets before lunch yesterday, the Second Test, played at Cape Town, fizzled out into a tame draw.

In reply to the M.C.C. total of 559 for nine wickets declared, the South Africans made 286 in their first innings, and in the follow-on, they had scored 201 for two wickets when stumps were drawn.

Capetown, Jan. 4 The weather was glorious to-day of only 500 saw Balaskas and Nourse resume the batting. The wicket was wearing slightly at the ends and promised to assist the spin bowlers, whom Hammond brought into nction immediately.

Only one run had been added to the overnight score of 213 when Balaskas was caught at mid-off by Paynter off Verity's third over. had been very aggressive and hit

Verity, who had been bowling very accurately had an analysis at this stage of one wicket for four runs in seven overs, five of which were

Nourse reached his century in 242 minutes, including a six and nine fours. He then became most aggressive and sent several to the fence. At lunch the score was seven for 283, Nourse having compiled 120 and Melville, who was batting with a runner, 20.

tion of the game and early disaster for with the first ball Verity got Nourse leg before. The ball hit Nourse's toe and he started to run | B. Mitchell, b Wright 42 for a leg-bye but the umpire upheld P. G. Van Der Byl, c Valentine, b for 266 minutes to gather his 120 E. A. Rowan, b Wright and had hit a six and 12 fours. A. D. Nourse, l.b.w., b Verity 120 Grand cutting and driving marked A. W. Briscoc, 1.b.w., b Goddard his batting.

A crowd of 600 saw the resump-

Melville was bowled by Verlty for | Goddard 23 and Gordon was stumped by X. Balaskas, c Paynter, b Verity Ames from Goddard for a duck. A. Melville, b Verlty 23 Africa followed on.

EARLY MISFORTUNE

The South Africans met with early misfortune in their second innings. Mitchell, who opened as usual with At Kowloon Tong last night, Van Der Byl, snicked the fourth ball

hoisted the 50 after 60 minutes, and for 66; 2 (Rowan) for 70; 3 (Mitchell) at ten they were still together with for 151; 4 (Briscoe) for 160; B J. A. de V. Soares and J. Tsang (K. the score taken to 87 for one wicket. (Wade) for 176; 6 (Langton) for Tong "B") lost to Xavier and Rum- | Van Der Byl had 47 to his name | 177; 7 (Balaskas for 214, 8 (Nourse)

The 100 went up after the South African innings had been in pro gress for 97 minutes.

Rowan also completed his 50 which had taken 103 minutes. At 149, a separation was effected Van Der Byl having the misfortun to hit down his wicket whilst playing Goddard. He had scored 87 rur in 139 minutes, his best shots bein a six and nine fours.

steadily until close of play, by which time the South African total had rise Rowan's share was 89. He had

Australians Reject M.C.C. Proposal

Melbourne, Dec. 29. The Cricket Board of Conto-day rejected the M.C.C.'s proposal to limit test matches in Australia to 30 hours. They welcomed, however, a suggestion to play fiveday matches against England.—

batted for three hours for his runs and hit seven fours. Nourse had 19.

M.C.C.

1st Inns. 559 (for 9 decld.)

S, AFRICA_IST INNS. W. W. Wade, c Edrich, b Verity 10 The end came soon afterwards. A. B. C. Langton, l.b.w., b

E. Q. Davies, not out

Extras

Total 286

Bowling Analysis

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Royal Scots-Win Junior Shield Soccer Match

In a re-arranged Junior Shield soccer match at Sookunpoo "We cabled yesterday," Mr. Sulli- yesterday, the Royal Scots' second eleven only just managed to van auded, demanding 25,000, tree scrape through against their Third Division opponents, 24th Battery, of tax, three return tickets and all R.A., by the only goal of the match.

As a matter of fact, the Gunners 1 to the superiority of the Stonecutters the play than their opponents. How-The fight, if all arrangements work ever, they had only themselves to out satisfactorily, will take place at blame for not scoring goals; they did

It is Mr. Vincent's intention to The only goal scored in the match match the winner with Tommy Farr, came within five minutes of the former holder of the British title. commencement. In attempting to A censation was caused when an-clear, Minshull, the Gunners' goal-

> On the whole, the game was a rather dull affair.

LEAGUE TIES

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UNIVERSITY BEATEN

(Capt.), A. H. Pontius; G. D. Woolgar, difficulty in beating the University in in the Association's rooms, the Bank W. Spencer, E. F. A. Morgan, K. A. the 'B" section by three goals to nil. of Canton, on Monday, January 9, Bidmend and I. P. Tamworth. The game was uninteresting owing at 5.20 p.m.

promoter, who is sponsoring the bout, were unlucky to be eliminated from team, for whom Ferris, Croft and

Easy Rugby Win For Hampshire

London, Jan. 4. Playing in the County Rugby Championship at Portsmouth to-day, Hampshire defeated Sussex by 14 points to nil.-Reuter.

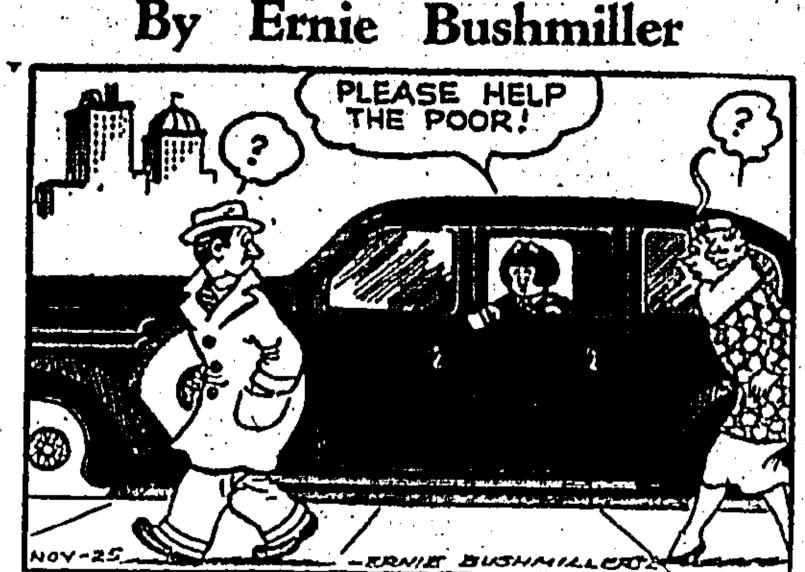
EDINBURGH BEATEN ON OWN GROUND

A meeting of the Hongkong Foot-The Sloneculters W/S had, little ball Association Council will be held

NANCY







FIRST-MINUTE SHOCK BEATS OXFORD

ANNUAL SOCCER MATCH RALLY BY THE LOSERS

By Norman Ackland

Oxford Univ. 3 Cambridge Univ. 5

London, Dec. 5. Oxford's fate was sealed in the inter-Varsity match at Dulwich when a miskick by Disney let Hollins through to score in the first minute.

By the time the Dark Blues had in a grand effort to save the match. recovered from this early shock they | Seaford scored from a scramble in were three goals down, and though they afterwards provided most of the excitement by staging a grand rally, the terrific effort involved left them a fired distributed side and them a tired, disjointed side, and brilliantly, gave Lowcock no chance Cambridge were well on top at the with a great shot.

It was a thrilling if not a classic equalised from Sturdy's pass, and for encounter, and the experiment of a few minutes Oxford appeared to playing the match on a Saturday on have mastered the situation. But an amateur club's ground was a they faltered, and Washington picked distinct success—there were 8,000 up a pass from Lees to give Camspectators, compared with a little bridge the lead again, and he scored

over 2,000 at Highbury last year. | another great goal from a pass by Oxford's defence never realised Hollins a few minutes later. the promise shown in earlier games of the term. Davies put tremendous zest into his work at left-half, but Schofield was not up to form and half, but Cambridge never looked

Schofield was not up to form and there was a notable weakness at right-half, where Crompton had not the speed to cope with the lively Cambridge left wing.

After a shaky start Parry-Jones and Disney settled down to defend steadily, but with the men in front of them overplayed for long periods their task was hopeless.

IOMAS WELL MET D.

Indif, but Cambridge never looked like relaxing their grlp on the game.

OXFORD UNIV.: J. W. Naylor (Ashburton): Exeter): K. Parry-Jones (Llanwyst, Jesus), H. A. S. Disney (Winchester, B.N.C.): P. R. Crompton (Charterhouse, B.N.C.): P. R. Crompton (Charterhouse, B.N.C.): R. J. Sturdy (Munro, Jamalea, Univ.). L. L. L. P. Gardner (Bradfield, Pembroke), H. S. Beaford (Repton, Oriel), J. H. Binch (Mansfield, B.N.C.); J. H. Lomas (Charterhouse, New Coll.).

CAMBRIDGE UNIV.: R. L. Lowcock

LOMAS WELL HELD

Individually, Sturdy and Scaford put in some splendld work, but as a line the Oxford forwards did not compare with the Cambridge attack. Lomas, generally regarded as the cleverest Oxford forward, was poorly supported by his partner, Binch, and when he did get the ball could seldom beat Templer, who disseldom beat Templer, who dis-covered how to stop him in last season's match—to drop back to cover instead of trying a deliberate tackle.

No praise could be too high for the cohesive work of the Cambridge forwards. Lees was the only one who did not score, but he was continu-

ally making clever openings for his colleagues, who snapped them up quickly. These forwards got most support from Beeson, who played the game of his life at right-half, and the defenders, inspired by the captain,

Templer, all rose to the occasion splendidly. For some time after Hollins' surprise goal the Oxford defence was at sixes and sevens. Lindley snapped up a through pass from Beeson to add to the lead, and from Lindley's corner-kick Goodyear gathered the ball, steadled himself and, taking deliberate aim, shot eleverly through a crowd of players.

DARK BLUES' EFFORT

Three goals down after half an hour's play, Oxford's cause seemed lost, but the match became thrilling in the extreme when the whole team

Medal Hound, Old Course.—R. G. K. Way, 95-24=71, won. There were twenty-two entries. pulled every ounce out of themselves

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Above is the Oxford XV which lost to Cambridge at Twickenham recently in the annual inter-University rugger match. Left to right, at back: G. A. Hollis, H. Muller, I. W. Sutherland, T. J. Cowen, P. C. Phillips, S. Pether, W. M. Jackson, T. R. Thomas, Seated: H. R. G. Percy, H. H. Pennington, R. M. Marshall, H. D. Freakes (captain), D. G. G. Coles, I. H. Watts, R. E. Luyt.



THE CAMBRIDGE XV-According to custom, only the new Blues are wearing their caps. Left to from A. E. Lissaman (3), also all right, at back: P. Sherrard, M. Dods, J. H. Steeds. Second row: K. I. Geddes, C. L. Newton-Thompson, P. A. R. Lindsay, F. J. Leishman, J. C. Swanson. Beated: T. R. Parry, J. G. S. Forrest, W. O. Chadwick (captain), R. B. Bruce-Lockhart, K. D. Downes. In front: J. Parsons, T. R. Juckes.

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The following were the results of competitions played in the New Year Meeting of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club at Fanling: Mixed Bogey Pool, New Course.—Col. and Miss King, 2 up. won.

There were ten entries. Bogey Par Pool, New Course,-H. J. Armstrong (16), 2 up, won. There were twenty-two entries.

NEW YEAR

GOLFING

RESULTS

Directly after the interval Scalord

Bogey Par Pool, Old Course.-L. C. F. Bellamy (22), 3 up, won. J. Stenersen (15), all square, won second prize on the last nine holes Medal Round, Old Course.-R. G.

LADIES TOURNAMENTS Draw for Captain's Cup (1938)

And Club Championship

The draw for the Captain's Cup (1938) Competition of the Ladles Section, the Royal Hongkong Golf

28. The final to be arranged.

Club Championship The following is the draw for the Club Championship (1939): Mrs. Mackenzie v. Mrs. Woodward; Mrs. Whyte-Smith v. Mrs. Cassidy; day: Robertson v. Mrs. King.

in the Sheffield Shield game by eight Club early in the first half and S. Sollis and Thomas, while Stewart

WEEK-END CRICKET ELEVENS

Recreio 1st XI A. M. Rodrigues (Capt.), N. Beltrao, J. he saw no reason why Jack should the local press on January 14. Gonsalves, E. L. Gosano, L. G. Gosano, not have a crack at the title.
P. M. N. da Silva, jr., E. M. L. Soares

Kowloon Teams The following have been chosen to re-present Kowloon Cricket Club on Satur-Mrs. Hillier v. Mrs. Redmond; Mrs. at home.—E. C. Fincher, K. M. Baxter, bent Armstrong you have got to fight Henry v. Mrs. Lissaman; Mrs. Davies, E. F. Fincher, R. E. Lee, N. D. Robertson v. Mrs. King.

Firsts v. Alumni Association (friendly) style to defeat the Negro, because to at home.—E. C. Fincher, R. M. Baxter, bent Armstrong you have got to fight him at his own game."

Lloyd, N. A. E. Mackay, G. A. White, C. Bye into 2nd Round: Mrs. Shewan Second v. Indians (league) at Bookun-

and A. N. Other,

ter stages.

The Hongkong Hockey Club beat the Navy 2-0 at King's Park Yester-Queensland beat New South Wales day. N. Whitley scored first for the

KID BERG TO FIGHT ARMSTRONG

"I believe that he will not only get the fight, but that he will beat Armstrong, Berg is going great guns now, and he has got the right Court.

A Navy XV proved too strong for the Club "A" in a friendly rugger game played on the Club ground yesterday, the Navy winning by 9-6 after leading by six points to nil at

Scorers for the Navy were Stead, are now controlled by a joint comwickets. Queensland 200 and 279-2; Fowler increased the lead in the lat. got the Club's points late in the merge at the end of the present season .- Reuler Special.

SQUASH TOURNEY

It is proposed to hold a squash tournament commencing on January or earlier if possible.

TO BE HELD

Entries, which must be accompanied by a fee of \$1, will be re-"I discussed the possibility of ceived by the Assistant Hon. Secre-such a match yesterday with General tary, Cricket Club Pavillon, Chater Matches will be the best of five games, and up to the semi-finals may be played on any courts in the Colony. The semi-finals and final will be played on the Club No. 1

SOCCER

London, Jan. 4. The leading amateur football clubs. the Corinthians and Casuals. which mittee, have agreed in principle to Lel. 28151.

GOLFERS!

COTTON HENRY

WRITES:---

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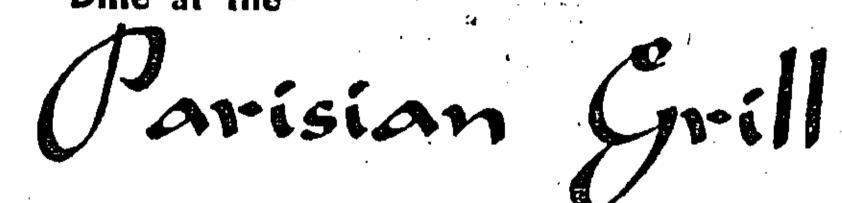
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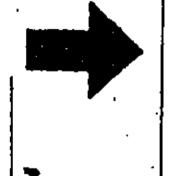


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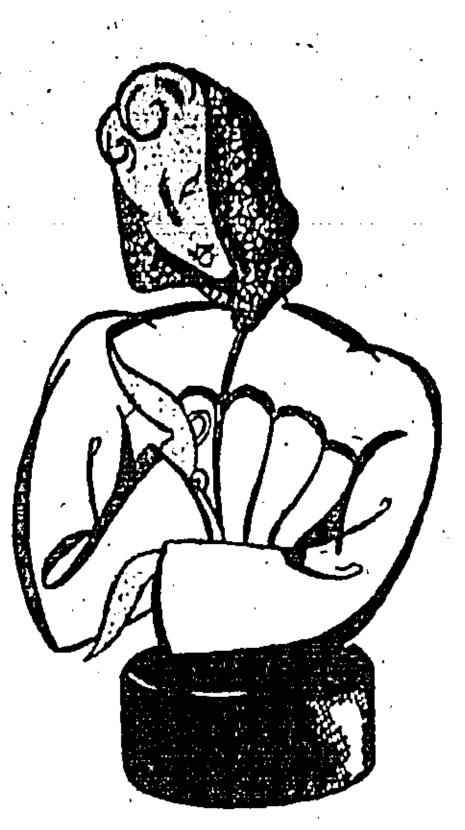


Yokes appear on everything this year-coats, frocks, jerseys, and particularly blouses. They are becoming, make a shoulder fit well. This one is straight-forward -- diagonal pin-tucks, carried right on over the sleeves, making a checkerboard yoke on a white satin blouse.



Deep circular tucks run from shoulder to shoulder of this burgundy red crepe blouse. (These rounded lines are good if you are sline.) The blouse is burgundy red, the stitching round the tucks pale cyclamen pink. Stitched tucks on above-theelbow sleeves follow the same line

as the noke.



More dressy ident for an afternoon blouse. This is a heavy violet silk with full magyar sleeves, wide cuffed. It fastens up the front with a strip of deep crimson embroidery, and the same embroidery makes a scalloped yoke. The yoke is plain, the rest of the blouse panelled, with a seam running from each scallon.

* Mary Grace Glasses



Tailored cut on a jersey blouse. This has ragion sleeves, cut in on a slant to the neck. The pointed yoke runs out on the shoulder, ends in a high stock neck-line, fastened with three buttons. Edges of the yoke are stitched with a tinsel thread. Blouse fits tightly into a narrow waist.

FROCKS

for the week-end

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the minute of fashion.

1205, would look in velvet.

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neat fitting skirt.

lif you like a short sleeve.

Beautiful Hands

IJGLY hands will often spoil U pretty face. This may sound far-fetched, but it is true. They mny quite possibly take the illusion out of a charming personality. Here, therefore, are a few hints on how to deal with hand troubles.

One of the commonest troubles is redness. This may be due either to bad circulation or to woefully bad washing and drying. Anyway, the following tips will help both causes. An invaluable exercise for the hands is to move all the fingers vigorously as if typing. Do it until the hands are tired, then rest and do some more. Incidentally, this also makes the hands supple, which is another beauty point to be almed at. To vary the above exercise, tap the fingers briskly on a table, again as if typing. This brings the blood to the hands and finger-tips.

If you feel that you are wasting your time in doing these things, then do them while you are listening-in to a wireless programme, or even rending. It is quite easy, and you can adopt the same time-saving procedure for any of the following ideas.

After Washing

As regards washing, lather and rub and wash the hands well to get all the dirt out, then wipe absolutely dry, rubbing briskly with the towel to get the blood moving. Then make it a habit to apply a little handlotion after each wash, to prevent roughness and wrinkles. Find a good feeding lotion and rub in energetically. Keep some lotion handy by both wash-basin and sink. If your hands are in a very bad state, do the following as an extra treatment until they show improvement.

Rub office off generously into fingers and hands, wipe off most of it, then wash well with a super-fatted soap and finish with hand-lotion.

In any case, and particularly if your hands show a tendency to scragginess, it is good to give the hands a periodical "feed." Use a good feeding cream and rub it in to every part of the hands. Wipe off most of it, put on some loose gloves. and go to bed like that.

For Large Knuckles

Protruding knuckles should have a somewhat similar treatment. Keeping each finger taut, rub some feeding cream into each knuckle. The best way is to hold each knuckle joint between finger and thumb of the other hand and to tap and press gripping fingers.

All these treatments, by the way, will also help to keep rheumatism and chilblains at bay. Look to your nails also. If they

are in bad condition, either liable to break or become ridged, soak them periodically in some hot olive oil, then wipe off only superfluous fat, and go to bed with loose gloves on them. This feeds and strengthens

Never forget to push the skin down at the base of the nail every time you wash your hands. .. We cannot all have naturally beautiful hands, but we can do much to help them in that direction.

Asse Morse

Polishing Points

W/HEN washing lineleum, use a dering cloth, which than been leather hand-bags, wrung out in a little boiled starch.

This puts a glossy skin on the linoleum and make it last much longer. Molsten blacklead with a few drops of ammonia and the grate or Arobars will acquire a brilliant and

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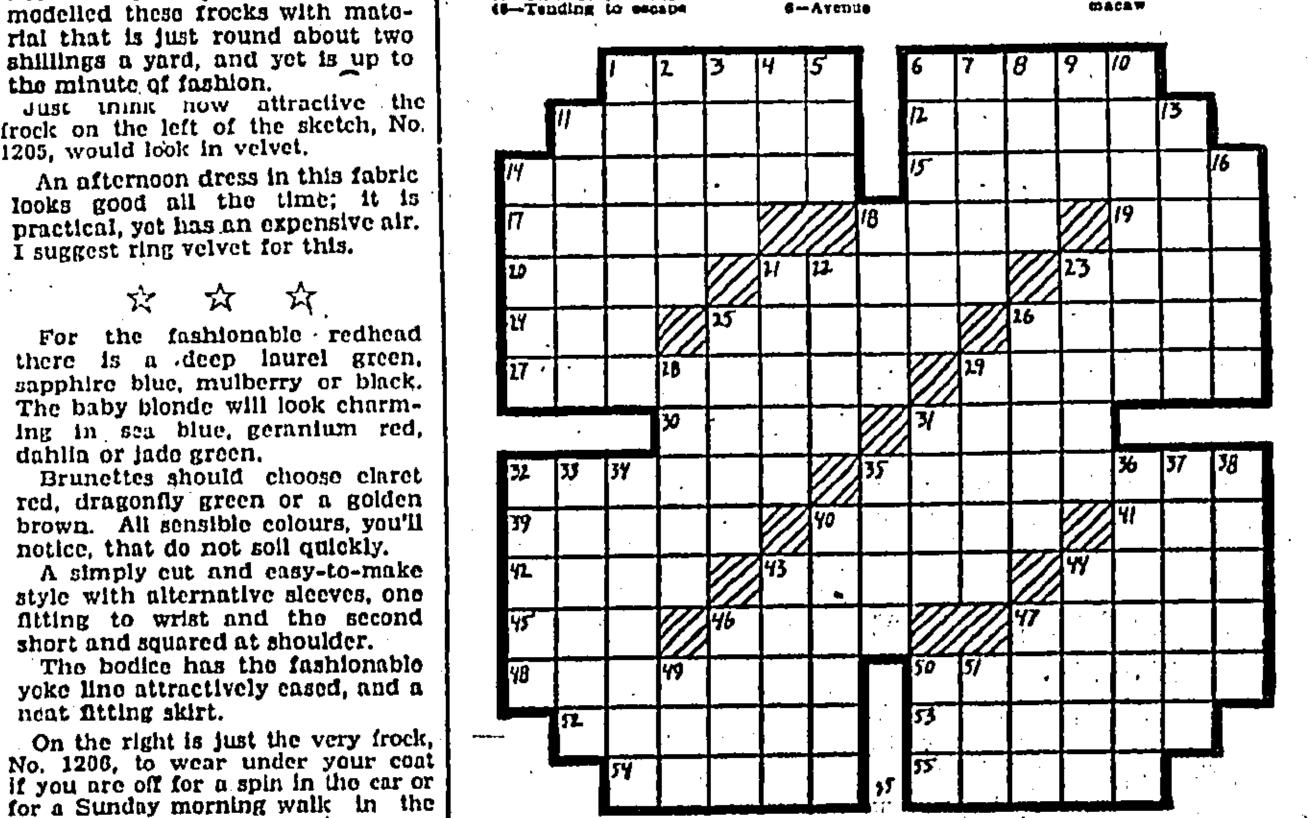
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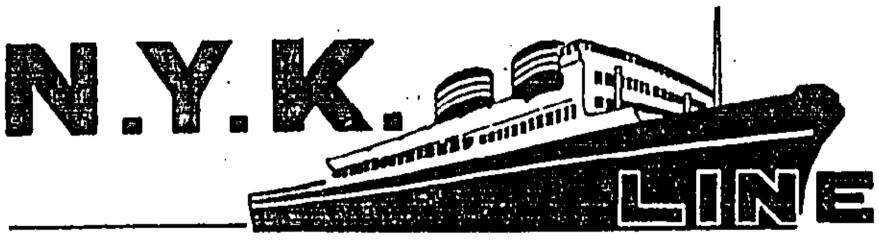
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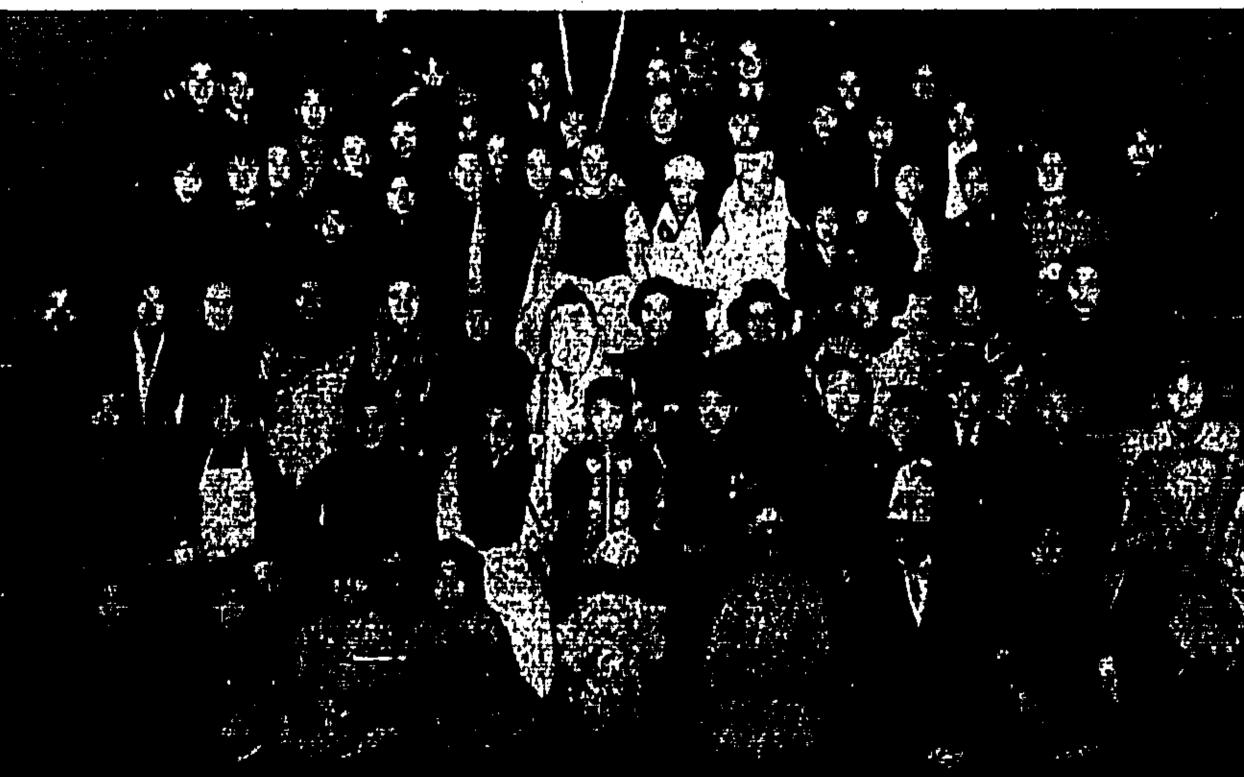
Group photograph of the H.M.S. Medway party who gathered at the Hongkong Hotel recently. -King's Studio.



Father Christmas arrives at the Civil Service Cricket Club Christmas Party.—Staff Photographer.



Group photograph taken at the Police Recreation Club on New Year's Day. -- Mee Cheung.



Y.W.C.A. Girls' Club at their recent Fancy Dress party.-King's Studio.

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DEFENDING THIS **EMPIRE**

(Continued from Page 6.) Colonies "ist nicht aktuel." That is the German way of saying that the question is "not now" timely.

PASED ON LIBERTY, democracy and freedom, the British Commonwealth may be a loosely-joined/ Empire in the eyes of some foreigners, but when danger signals fly, it always has, and will again close up into one solidly united front. prisoner on the Island of St. Helena.

Substituting the words "you must follow a policy" for "you badminton at 8 p.m. must retire within territories," Mr. Chamberlain might well have said to Adolf Hitler Munich what the Austrian Count Metternich said to the Emperor Napoleon in the latter's Headquarters in Dresden on June 26, 1813, after the terrible retreat from Moscow of Napoleon with the remnants of his Grand Army. Metternich said:

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Y.M.C.A. PROGRAMME

Y.M.C.A. activities for the coming week are notified as follows: Up into one solidly united front. Monday, Jan. 8: Discussion Group Napoleon fought England for at 9 p.m. Professor Lontenschlager eight years. He died a British on "Christ and present world Issues." Monday, Jan. 9: Whist Drive at 9

Tuesday, Jan. 10: Women's Section, charity sewing bee at 10 a.m.;

Wednesday, Jan. 11: Women's Section, Badminton all day. Thursday, Jan. 12: Women's Section, competitive games morning at

Friday, Jan. 13: Women's Section, Bridge Class and Practice Play at 10 a.m.; badminton at 8.30 p.m.

sued. The world needs peace.
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†*BHUTAN	6.000 28th Jan.	B'bay, M'seilles, Havre, L'don,
		Hull, H'bg, R'dam & A'werp.
RAJPUTANA	17.000 4th Feb.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
•BEHAR	5,000 11th Feb.	M'seilles, Havre, L'don, Hull,
		H'bg, R'dam & A'werp.
RANCHI	17,000 18th Feb.	Marsellles & London.
†*SOUDAN	6,000 25th Feb.	B'bay, M'scilles, Havre, L'don,
•		Hull, H'bg, R'dam & A'werp.
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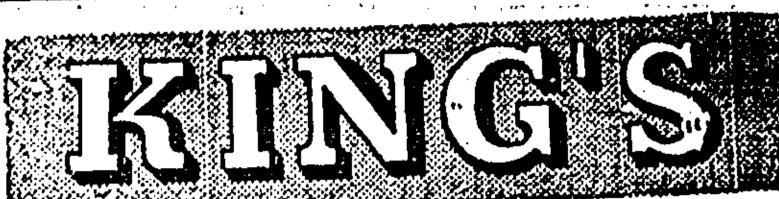
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SAILORS FROM H.M.S. KENT marching through the streets yester day to take part in the March Past at Happy Valley. The Commander- in-Chief, Sir Percy Noble, took the salute.—Kahn Photo.

C. P. President's Peace Message

The following New Year message has been received from Sir Edward Beatty, Chairman and President, Canadian Pacific Rallway, Montreal:-

"To all Officers and Employees: "The events of the year now closing at December 12 state that the numhave brought home to us the community ber of insured persons in employment of interests which exists in the World in Great Britain was approximately

1938 with good crops with normal 000 more than a year before. activity in our internal commerce and with freedom from all the bitternesses unemployed totalled 1,831,372, comwith freedom the life of many other prising 1,474,019 wholly unemployed,

"Yet intimately connected us is the 645 normally in casual employment. economic life of this nation with condi- The total was 3,269 more than a economic his other lands we have been un- month before, and 165,965 more working on sea defence work at able to obtain the recovery of production a year before. The total in- Pakefield, Lowestoft, when they tive and commercial activities which might have been hoped.

"We have learned that there can be British Wircless. no prosperity except when general peace prevails.

"I said a year ago that we must use caution in forecasting any important improvement in business conditions in 1938. The warning has been justified.
"As we enter 1939 it is necessary to repeat this warning. Recovery of the business activities of this country will wordance of waste at home.

"In such times as these it is with owing to the approach of the and read against the wall, and one of his legs, depend on peace abroad and wise avoidance of waste at home. genuine pleasure and pride that the owing to the approach of the end was injured.

management of this company can again account. record deep appreciation of the loyalty and efficiency with which the Companys operations are conducted by the army the day's lowest quotations in sym- who was unconscious, to the shore. operations are conducted by this great pathy with the weakness of sterling. The woman was Mrs. Ethel or employees which serves loyalty and Oils were moderately active in Leathley, aged 57, of Pella, St. Anorganization. Never were loyalty and organization. Never were loyalty and response to the overnight publicaefficiency more needed and never have response to the overnight publicanes-on-Sea, a patient in a nursing

ters and look forward to 1030 with six per cent, and 71/2 per cent, recourage and confidence. To you and all spectively.
your families I should like to extend
my warmest wishes for health and happlness in the New Year."

Grim Street Battle In Tsengshing

Yungyun, Jan. 5. Grim street fighting raged in Tsengshing, 35 miles north-east of Canton, on Monday morning, when Chinese troops blasted their way into the war-torn city through the north gate, according to military reports. The Japanese suffered many casualties in the face of the flerce Chinese onslaught and were thrown into a precarious position. However, the timely arrival of heavy Japanese reinforcements from Canton and Shektan, saved the situation.

Under the terrific bombardment of the Japanese the Chinese later withdrew from the city. They wrecked as a tribute to his efforts in the all bridges and heavily damaged the cause of peace, a generous present highways in the outskirts of Tseng- from the women of Malta consisting

was going on, another Chinese unit for £50. surrounded 200 Japanese at Shetauling, a hill in the neighbourhood of the city. Over 90 casualties were accepted the silver boat and lace inflicted on the Japanese there .-- | Central News.

Puppets Attempt To Weaken Currency

Relping, Jan. 4. The Ministry of Finance of the Japanese - sponsored Chinese provincial government here announces that from February 20, the currency of the Chinese National Government of the Chinese National Government this year occurred this morning, when Rudolf Szories of Leipzig was the subject to a further 30 per cent be subject to a further 30 per cent. executed. discount as against the Federal Reserve Bank currency. This makes a total of 40 per cent.

National Government's currency.

Helping Britain's Re-armament:

At a meeting yesterday, the ad- strike yesterday, to end the strike on visory panel of industrialists, set up Frday on promises of arbitration.to help in the co-ordination of in- Reuter. dustrial effort in connection with the re-armament programme, elected as its chairman, Lieut-Colonel J. H. M. Greenly:

The panel has held a number of mootings, starting before Christmas, and a full programme, of work has of an illness at his residence in Tokyo Smith. been drawn up for the future. Bri- at 10:30 o'clock last night at the age A sullable musical programme is

BRITAIN'S WORKLESS

London, Jan. 4. The Ministry of Labour estimates 12,203,000. This was 5,000 more "In Canada we have been blessed in than a month before, and about 10,-

At the same date, the registered 294,708 temporarily laid off, and 62,-

356,580 women, and 44,321 girls.-

Quietness Reigns On Stock Exchange

London, Jan. 4. The London Stock Exchange was

they been shown more fully.

"Let us look back on 1938 with gratitude that we were spared great disastude that we were spared great disas-

Reflecting yesterday's weakness in sterling, the London official gold pieces against the wall." price was fixed at the new high record of 150/5d. However, sterling cord of 150/5d. However,
was firm owing to Continental profittaking of dollars, prior to President
taking of dollars, prior to Congress, and Roosevelt's address to Congress, and after the flxng, a small business was transacted, with gold down to 150/1d. Wall Street was stendy.-Reuter

Premier Gives Priest Cheque Back To Charity

London, Jan. 4. The Prime Minister has received of a Maltest lace tablecloth, a silver While the attack on Tsengshing model of a Maltese boat, and a cheque

> The Prime Minister has gratefully tablecloth, and has asked the Governor of Malta, and organisers of the presentation, to devote the cheque to charity in Malta.-British Wireless.

Nazis Behead A West Front Spy

Berlin, Jan. 4.

He was sentenced to death in September last, the indictment stating that he had fled the country to discount officially in respect to the France, and had joined the secret C. (Bill) Fleet has made him a popuservice to spy on the fortifications on lar bus driver. He wakes early risers Germany's western frontier.-Reuter with horn blasts so they can catch his Special.

TAXI STRIKE ENDS

New York, Jan. 4. Mayor La Guardia has induced 11,000 taxi-drivers, who went on

GENERAL MACHIDA DIES

Tokyo, Jan. 5. General Kelu Machida, retired, died proposed by the Hon. Mr. N. L.

Sea Hero 66 Jumped Into Jaws

DRITAIN'S bravest deed re-D cently was performed by a Lowestoft workman, father of nine children.

The hero was William Eade. He and William Cunningham were cluded 1,384,922 men, 45,549 boys, heard cries for help, and saw a woman struggling in the water, which a gale was driving in huge waves against the sea wall. Eade pulled off his thigh boots, tled a rope round his waist, and

jumped over the wall into the He reached the woman, grasped

her, and fought his way back to the steps.

Time after time he was dashed WITNESSES' TRIBUTE

Cunningham then jumped into the Gilt-edged securities closed around sea and helped Eade and the woman,

death," an eye-witness said. "He ran the double danger of being drowned and being battered

SENTENCED to die in the electric chair at Cincinnati, Ohio, on Wednesday, Mrs. Anna Hahn offered her eyes to a blind priest or nun. Mrs. Hahn, who is 31, was convicted of poisoning Richard Wagner, aged 78. The prosecution also linked her

name with 11 other murders. SON PLEADS Hahn's 15-years-old son, visited her in Ohio State Oscar. Prison. He pleaded for five minutes with the Governor's secretary later for clemency for his mother.

Jamaica Unrest Kingston, Jamaica, Jen. 4.

A regiment of soldlers and 300 special constables have been enlisted in consequence of renewed strike troubles. Other ports are following Kingston

in stopping work on the waterfront. Resistance on both sides in the present labour dispute is hardening. —Rculer.

Houston, Tex. "Extra-curricular" activities of W. bus going back to town, takes care of children for busy mothers, brings ice from town, buys groceries and tips housewives to shopping bargains.

BURNS' NIGHT DINNER ON JANUARY 25

The Hongkong St. Andrew's Society will hold a Burns' Dinner in the Rose Room of the Peninsula Holel on Wednesday, January 25, com-mencing at 8.15 p.m. The "Immortal Memory" will be

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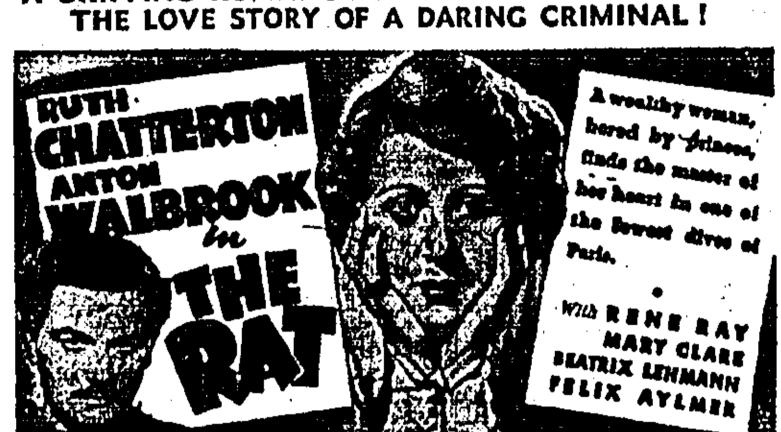


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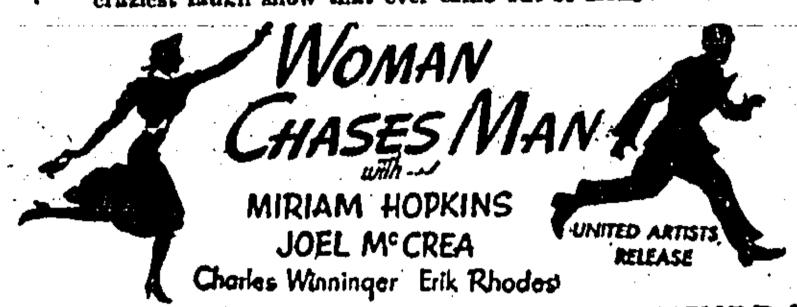
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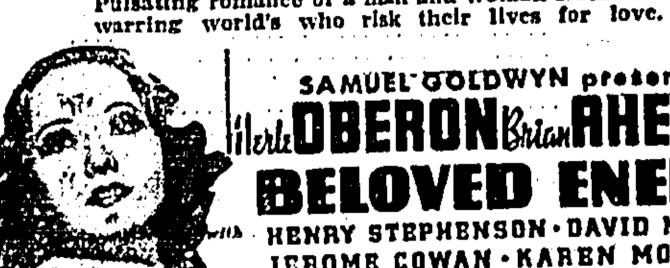
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CRYING BABY WHO

PEOPLE mind their own business in Trinity-

road. Tooting. So no one took much notice of the new tenant of the basement flat at No. 103 when she arrived. She said her name was Mrs. Dolly Brown, said she was

married to a commercial traveller. No one saw her receive any callers. Few people ever saw her leave the flat.

In the ground-floor flat at No. 103 Mrs. Brown's landlady, Mrs. Landes, conducted a servants' registry. But she never heard a sound . from Mrs. Brown. The floor was sound-proof. None of the five other people in the house ever heard anything

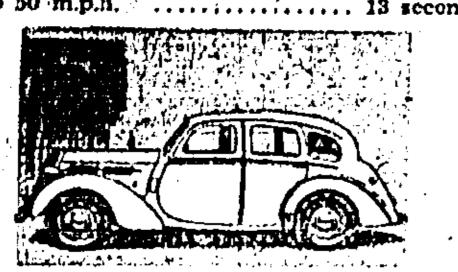
Then telegrams began to arrive for Mrs. Dolly Brown. Mrs. Landes tried to deliver them, but the door of the flat was locked.

So eventually they sent for the police. The police broke open the door of Mrs. Brown's flat. They found her dead in bed. In a cot beside her was her four months old baby girl. She, too.

was dead. Doctors say that Mrs. Dolly Brown died five days ago, from natural

They say that her baby died from starvation, . She had cried for her mother but no one had heard.

And the pillow of her cot was stained with tears long since dry Printed and Published for the Proprietors by Farmance Pincy Farmance, at 1; and 3, Wyndham Street in the City of Victoria, Hongtong,



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"POLITICAL

COLLAPSE,"

SAY PAPERS

THE RESIGNATION of the

Konoye Cabinet represented the

first sign of Japan's political col-

lapse, declares the "Ta Kung

Pao," in an editorial to-day on

the latest Japanese Government

The journal predicts that a general

The resignation in the opinion of

the paper, was due to difficult. cir-

cumstances brought about by hope-

lessness of peace, prolongation of the

Sino-Japanese hostilities, inability to

dissolve the Diet and fuse all political

parties into a national party, the

huge budget for the next year, diffi-

culty in the invocation of the entire

National Mobilisation Act, the un-

favourable turn in Japan's inter-

national relations and the stringent

The journal envisages a further

inclination towards Fascism in Japan

with Baron Kilchiro Hiranuma head-

No matter what changes in Japan's

government and its policy, the paper

will be an utter failure and the day

for the general collapse of Japan's

political machinery, economic struc-

ture and social order will be nearer

The "Shun Pao", commenting on the

same subject, states that the Japanese

Government change will be merely

a reshuffle of personnel but will fail

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LATEST

ing the Japanese Government.

financial situation.

and nearer.

collapse in Japan's economic struc-

ture and social order will become

Fascists

Is Announced

by the Emperor to form a new Cabinet following

the resignation of Prince Konoye last night, has

the presence of His Majesty, the Emperor at the Imperial

completed formation of a new Ministry.

BARON HIRANUMA, who was commanded

Installation of the new Cabinet will take place in

THE TOTALITARIANS

Magistrate Interpreter In Own Court

THE NOVEL SIGHT of a Magistrate acting as interpreter in his own Court was witnessed at the Central Magistracy this

One of the witnesses, Father Bos, of the French Mission at Pokfulam Road, could not speak His evidence was translated by the Magistrate, Mr. R. A. D.

The Catholic missionary was giving evidence in a case in which Young Ngau, 23, and Wong Kwok, 30 coolies employed by the Dairy Farm Company, were charged with illegal possession of

Wong was fined \$20. The case against the other defendant was One of the defendants, it was revealed, was arrested in the Mission grounds by a French

3 BRITISH SHIPS BOMBED IN SPAIN

BARCELONA, Jan. 4. during an air raid this morning. They included the Stanwell, which was being repaired after being sunk in an air raid last month.

It suffered a direct hit, but is not | faith. believed to be seriously damaged. The other vessels were only struck THERE COMES A TIME by splinters, and there were no easualties.—Reuter Special.

MANY DIÈ IN SPANISH RAIDS During 1939 Britain will launch 45 new warships, with a total tonnage of 355,705.

Barcelona, Jan. 4. At least 40 persons are reported to have been killed, and 30 injured in two nir raids on Tarragona to-day. Twelve Insurgent planes carried out the first raid, and bombed and wrecked two passenger trains crowded with refugees.

Then, while rescue parties were recovering the bodies, a second fleet of 25 machines arrived and dropped bombs.—Reuter.

THRICE RAIDED

Paris, Jan. 4, Insurgent planes bombed Tarragona three times during this morning, according to reports from Barcelona. So far 30 are known to be dead, and more than 40 wounded, but the number of casualties is expected finally to be much higher.

The Tarragona railway station was almost completely destroyed,—Trans-Ocean.

EUROPEAN LADIES VICTIMISED

SEVERAL EUROPEAN tienly undermine all of us. LADIES were victims of burglars and snatch-thieves yester-

Mrs. Goodge, of 3, Gap Road, reports the loss of a wrist watch, valued days recommending measures for at \$50, which was either stolen or adequate defence. her home and the Race Course at Happy Valley.

Knutsford Hotel, was robbed of her ment can present a united front in bag, containing money and various the attack on democracy, the attack articles to the total value of \$372, must be met by a united democracy. Cheong Drapery in Nathan Road.

was victimised to the extent of \$107 of such far-flung preparedness in the when the President moved into the when burglars broke into her dwell- history of the United States. fighting, passages of his speech, ing yesterday afternoon.

Thioves also stole a fur cost, valued at \$100, from the verandah of 181 Sai You Street, Kowloon, occupied by Mrs. R. R. Chai. The owner of the oost had pinced it out on the verandah to air.

Must Llemocracy Defend Its Tenets

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WASHINGTON, JAN. 4. FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT RESIDENT TO DAY ADDRESSED THE 76TH UNITED STATES CONGRESS ON THE STATE OF THE NATION.

He referred to previous occasions when he advised Congress of disturbance abroad and the need of putting their own house in order.

"In face of storm signals from across the seas," he said, "a further warning is necessary at the opening of this 76th Congress. A war which threatened to envelop the world in flames has been averted, but it has become increasingly clear that peace is not assured.

"The storms from abroad directly challenge the three institutions which now, as always, are indispensable to Americans. The first is religion, which is the source of the other two-democracy and international good faith.

"In modern civilisation all three complement to each other. Where the freedom of religion is attacked, the attack has come from sources opposed to democracy.

"Where democracy has been overthrown, the spirit of free worship has disappeared. And where religion and democracy THREE BRITISH SHIPS in have vanished, good faith in international affairs has given way the Barcelona harbour were hit to strident ambition and brute force.

"The ordering of a society which relegates religion, democracy and good faith between the nations to the background. can find no place within it for the ideals of the Prince of Peace. The United States rejects such ordering, and retains its ancient

"There comes a time in the affairs of men when they must prepare to defend, not only their homes, but the tenets of faith and humanity upon which their churches, governments, and their very civilisation is founded.

"The defence of religion, democracy and good faith between nations is all the same fight. To one, we must now make up our minds to save all.

"We know what might happen to us of the United States if the new philosophies of force were to encompass other con- Philips, American Ambassador to tinents, and invade our own. We, no more than any other Rome, is believed to have outlined nation, cannot afford to be surrounded by enemies of our faith and our humanity.

"We propose to do our share of protecting, from the storms from any quarter, this h. misphere, and the ideal of democratic government, and peoples functioning together in mutual respect for peace.

"This does not imply that the United States republics disassociate themselves from the nations in other continents. does not mean that the republics of America are against the rest of the world.

"We stand on our historic offer to take counsel of all the other nations to the end that aggression between them may be terminated, and the race in armaments cease, and commerce renewed."

The President proceeded to say that if any government, bristling with the implements defence. of war, insists on the policies of power, weapons of defence would give the only safety.

He declared that the God-fearing democracies of the world cannot for evermore let pass, without effective protest, acts of aggression against sister nations—acts which automa-

They had learned the old, old lesson that the probability of attack was mightly decreased by the assurance of an ever-ready defence. The President said that he would send a

UNITED DEMOCRACY Continuing, President Roosevelt

Mrs. H. Smith, residing at the said: "If another form of governexist in the United States. Mrs. Lau, of 143 Electric Street, "Never have there been six years and the House frequently applauded

> without the conscription of labour, could protect itself from foreign the confiscation of capital, concon- threats.
> tration camps, and without a Dr. Thomson, the German Charge scratch on the freedom of speech, d'Affaires at Washington, was a the freedom of the prote, or the silent and attentive figure in the

"We are on a race to make democracy work so that we shall be efficient in peace, and secure in self-

"We can compete with the dictators in bringing idle men and idle capital together, and at the same time remain within the bounds of what we consider civilisation."

curtailment of its own investments.

At the bottom of their hearts, industry, agriculture and finance necessary to raise the national income to \$80,000,000,000 a year. If the Hongkong is not a flattering one. solution to the problem was the price less, selfish fears can stand in the reported to have said yesterday.

"At one time I prophesied that this generation of Americans had a rendezvous with destiny. prophecy has come true."

Roosevelt entered to give his address, "All this has been done without especially when he outlined the any dictator's power of command, methods whereby the United States



THURSDAY, JANUARY

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

America Hands Note Italy

nounced that Mr. William | Phillips, the United States | Ambassador, handed Signor Mussolini, in the ducing concrete results in the field presence of Count Ciano, a message concerning Euro-tions to revise the neutrality laws so pean and Jewish problems, that they will no longer work in and possible solutions of a statement that the democracies, withgeneral character.—Reuter.

OUTLINES U.S. ATTITUDE

ROME, Jan. 4. In the course of yesterday's visit to Signor Mussolini, Mr. William revival of commerce.-United Press. the American attitude to the world situation, in the light of his talks with President Roosevelt and other able to pick up the broadcast of Pre- the service of Prince Konoye in American ambassadors.

that he brought no special message ernment-controlled Italian press from President Roosevelt to Il Duce. when it receives instructions to The United States is known to be publish comment. anxious to see the course of events Listeners unanimously regarded develop peacefully, and is especially the speech as being strong and fearconcerned about the For Eastern less, which would win much praise have decided to support the new situation.

Mr. Phillips also discussed the position of American Jews in Italy, who at present are granted exemption from the racial laws, upon application.—Reuter Special.

Doesn't Like H.K. Girls

Mr. Foong Gim-tong, who came When they were seeking to increase to Hongkong by Pan-American production and consumption, said the Clipper in a search for a Chinese

He is leaving Hongkong by Philipwanted Congress to do whatever was pines Clipper to-morrow for America. His opinion of Chinese girls in "I'm sure they're not representafor preserving their liberty, no form- tive of China's womanhood," he is

AIR FRANCE DELAYED

The Air France plane which left

Speech Reactions

LONDON, Jan. 4. PRESIDENT ROOSE-VELT'S admonition to the United States to take strong stand against gression has caught the the British attention of is grimly nation, which preparing to face a possible new European crisis in 1939.

The warning coincided with similar warnings received here through diplomatic channels, spurring Britain to a new effort to re-arm.

were rushed to members of the officials, one of whom ventured to observe: "It's what we would like to say if we could."

Thousands of radio sets all over Britain tuned in to the B.B.C., relay, and countless people heard President Roosevelt's voice strong and clear, even the crackling of the paper when he turned the pages of his speech

being audible. At the same time, crowds in the IT IS OFFICIALLY an- streets eagerly bought the afternoon newspapers, which splashed the

speech under banner headlines. Government quarters are interestto ed chiefly in three points of the speech which are capable of pro-

of international politics. Firstly, the implied recommendafavour of aggressors, secondly the out resorting to war, have the means offer to enter into consultation with other nations for the restraint of Portfolio. aggression, arms limitation, and

WHAT ITALY THINKS

Rome, Jan. 4. sident Roosevelt's speech from the Cabinet deliberations. United States expect it to get far Contrary to reports, it is thought more abuse than praise in the Gov-

ment in Government circles.

One Italian who heard the speech armament programme policy, but he predicted that the newspapers would caustically ask who was threatening United States freedom, and would insinuate that thorities as discussed at the conthe President was trying to justify an armament programme for

Roosevelt

Itagakl Early summaries of the speech Navy Minister *Admiral Yonal Finance Minister Mr. S. and high Government Ishiwata Commerce and Industry .. Mr.

Y. Hatta Agricultur and Forestry . . Mr. C. Machida Education *Baron Arakl Justice *Mr. S. Shiono Overseas *Mr. Y. Hatta Communications *Mr. S.

Railways Mr. Y. Maeda Without Portfolio Prince Konoye Chief Secretary Mr. H. Tanabe

Palace at 4.30 p.m.

Prince Konoye, the outgoing

Premier, has consented to be-

come the President of the Privy

Council, in succession to Baron

Minister without Portfolio.

Hiranuma

Hiranuma, and concurrently

The newly-organized Ministry is:

Prime Minister Baron K.

Home Minister .. Marquis K.

Welfare Minister Marquis K.

Foreign Minister *Mr. H.

War Minister *Lt.-Gen. S.

Director of Legislative Bureau Mr. S. Ulgal President of Planning Board ... Mr. K. Aoki. * Denotes members of the Konoye

Cabinet retaining posts in the new concludes Japan's invasion in China Commenting on the formation of the new Cabinet by Baron Hiranuma,

for discouraging aggression, and appointment of Prince Konoye as the thirdly, renewal of the United States President of the Privy Council and political circles call attention to the appointment of Prince Konoye as the concurrently as the Minister without The same circles point out that to strengthen its operation. It will

this is the first time that a Minister without Portfolio has been appointed in the Japanese Government. The Foreigners and Italians who were appointment is calculated to secure

ARMY SUPPORT HIRANUMA

Tokyo, Jan. 5. Following an emergency conference held at the official residence of the War Minister, the Army leaders in some quarters, but adverse com- Government under Baron Kiichiro

The conference was attended by expressed the opinion that the the War Minister, Lieut.-General Fascists would print the President's Seishiro Itagaki, Lieut.-General efforts to base the United States re- Yamawaki, the Vice-Chief of the Army General Staff, and Lieut .-Totalitarians' alleged aggressive General Toshizo Nishlo, -Inspector-General of Military Education.

The views of the military auference, were communicated to Baron his Kiichiro Hiranuma, the Premier Deimperialistic purpose by making the dignate, when General Itagaki, in (Continued on Page 12.)

production and consumption, said the Cilpper in a search for a Chinese President, it was illogical for the girl to represent China at the New Government to consider a drastic York World Fair has abandoned his To Detention House

"PENDING YOUR RETURN to Germany, we cannot have you wandering about the Colony doing nothing. "I'll put you in the House of Detention until such time as

you can be sent back to Germany." So said Mr. E. Himsworth at the pleaded guilty to charges of having

Hanol for Hongkong this morning, Kowloon Magistracy to-day to two stowed away from Manila to Hongnrticles to the total value of \$372, must be met by a united democracy. A packed house cheered and has been grounded at Fort Bayard by Germans, Peter Romeis, 21, and kong on board the Empress of Japan, while she was shopping in the Wah Such a democracy can, and must shouted lustily when President adverse weather.

Hilmuth Leske, 10, after they had They were also charged with breaches of the Passport Regulations.

TOURING WORLD ALONE

A sixty-six year old American lady arrived in Hongkong to-day to Hongkong because he thought that the next three months, it would be easier to go from here to These 400 recruits will complete a Germany, than from Manila.

Further Late News

See Back Page For

R.A.F. Recruiting Record

London, Jan. 4. Since June, when the Secretary for The defendants were found on Air announced that owing to a furboard the steamer after she had left ther expansion of the R.A.F., 1,700 pilots would be recruited, -1,800 candidates have been accepted, leav-Romeis said that he wanted to come ing only 400 vacuacles to be filled in

record intake of short-service officers Sorgeant V. Mackenzle prosecuted for any year in the history of the the case.

RAY British Wireless.

(Continued on Page 4.) real of the Bill of Rights.

by the Philippine Clipper. She is on a round-the-world trip-alone.

From Hongkong she will proceed to Peining.

FRANCE'S MAGINOT LINE IN AFRICA 'Almost BALD

New Cordon of Steel and Concrete Bars Tunisia Invasion

More Troops Sent To Colony

GABE, Tunisia, Jan. 4. SPECIAL MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE was attached to to-day's events in which M. Daladier participated, as Tunis has considerable strategic importance as a bulwark on the flanks of French

North-Africa. In south Tunis, a possible route for enemy encirclement has now been barred by a Maginot Line.

France's available forces in Tunis have recently been reinforced, and have behind them the entire resources of the other North-African colonies.

ney back.

where all the food came from.

The radio and the cinema startled

2. MOUSE

RUNS UP

LEG

he was watching a picture.

He Had Never

Seen:

Radio

Algeria and Tunis have on peace footing, 68 infantry batballons, eight regiments of Spahis, and 20,000 other troops and various arms. Morocco has 29 infantry battalions, four regiments of Spahis, and 7,500 other arms.

In the event of war, the French population would be the framework for the use of many millions of natives of fine fighting qualities .-Reuter Special.

MORE TROOPS LEAVING

Marseilles, Jan. 4. Another battalion of 750 men of the Senegal Infantry are leaving on January 7 for French Somaliland .--

DEMONSTRATION OF TUNIS SOLIDITY

The scene was the desert plain at miles from Winnineg, Canada. the foot of the Matamata Mountains, where the natives live in the caves and hills as in the Stone Age. Apart from an ancient oasis, the board the Duchess of Atholl.

one hour colourful native cavalry, ever knew was the farm. party.-Renter Special.

1. MOUSE RUNS UP BROKER'S LEG

A Mouse held up City traffic through Throgmorton Street, E.C., for five minutes. It raced out of the Stock Exchange, followed by the Stock Exchange cat.

The mouse ran for safety up the trousers of a stock-broker who was standing outside in the street. A crowd made a ring round the broker while he took his trousers off. He eventually released the mouse—but the cat did not.

When A Husband Is Not Wanted

many cases wives like to have their -Reuter. husbands with them.

allowed to be present at the actual

tice being followed at other maternity

ce at such times."



THESE KIDDIES don't know whether to be frightened or friendly with their Australia's outbacks.

T. Paul Gregory's Series on Old Hongkong

WHO INTRODUCED PRISON REFORM TO THE COLONY

capacity during the early days as beneath their dignity. A LTHOUGH he is 28 years of age, Twenty-five thousand troops participated in a thrilling march-past at the lonely post of Aintounine this Since babyhood he has seen nothing but the prairle, some 200 known in old Hongkong as the was Mr. Andrew Lysaught "Governor of Victoria Gaol."

Recently be reached Liverpool, loftiest humanitarian senti- unexpected course is given in installed and the prisoners were, with his 70-years-old mother, on Twenty-six years ago Mrs. Jones sidents of the present day; for that his act was entirely volun- already the masters of some This morning's review was in Llangum, Wales. Stanley was then it was entirely due to his efforts tary, and due solely to his desire craft were organised into groups, strong contrast to the normal, as for two years old. The only world had that the misses of the longuage of Colifornia in order and given and given and given two years old. The only world had that the misses of the longuage of Colifornia in order and given and given the masters of some two years old. The only world he that the prison system of the to proceed to California in order and given work to do. Thus Colony was remodelled so that to join the gold rush; which had there were blacksmiths, farriers, and armoured cars, swung past He never saw a railway train until prisoners were provided with now developed into a veritable carpenters and the like. Under Premier Edouard Daladier and his he arrived at Whinipeg on this jour- suitable employment and that stampede, luring thousands of this new system, idleness was bane of every convict's life-

He asked the stewards to tell him idleness—was abolished.

for £50 damages because, he says, pointment was unnounced on pointment in an official capacity a mouse ran up his trouser-leg while July 16, 1845 as successor to Mr. for the fortunate possessor. Samuel Fearon, the Registrar for the fortunate possessor. He declared he was scratched and General, who had resigned his bitten, was unable to sleep that night. position in order to accept the King's College, London.

penal system in its entirety.

likeable personality who ser-| when the majority of Europeans, classes, had become a school of ved this Colony in an official scorned such an accomplishment crime.

sometime in June 1849, in com- tion of the Gaol, by Major pany with some twenty or thirty | Caine in 1843, were aided in him when he first heard and saw MR. Andrew Lysaught Inglis other Hongkong residents, large- their efforts to rehabilitate was born in England about ly discontented adventurers from themselves and achieve genuine speak anything but Welsh, but luckily the year 1820. As there is prac- Sydney, as well as a number of reform. one of their fellow travellers was a tically no biographical matter erstwhile sailors before the mast, The task of expediting the Welshman, who acted as interpreter available concerning his early who had thrown up their berths necessary reforms was swiftly life or family the exact date is in order to answer the magic call performed, and Mr. Inglis renot known. It is known, how- of California. Whatever may ceived the thanks of a grateful ever, that he was one of the first have been Mr. Inglis' hopes in Colony. Perhaps in recognition European residents of the the new land, he was evidently of this work, the Executive Colony as he arrived here in doomed to disappointment; for Council in its meeting of August after staying in America for a 25, 1857 decided to nominate His first position in Hongkong year or so, we find him back in him as Harbour Master and was that of Clerk in the Marine | Hongkong. Apparently, too, he | Marine Magistrate. Magistrate's office, but so effi- had no difficulty in again securciently did he perform his task, ing a position with the local adthat he was looked upon as a ministration; for his knowledge TO these posts was later added most likely young man for future of the vernacular tongue alone, advancement. In fact, his rise was in that day of ignorance of Officer, but his sojourn in the in office was, to say the least, everything Chinese, and general Mr. I. V. Roseman, a lawyer, is almost meteoric; his first apcient to insure an immediate apfor £50 damages because, he says, pointment was announced on

Chair of Professor of Chinese THE most important of Mr. March 1, 1861, he left for Eng-Language and Literature in Inglis' series of appointments land. A grateful community, and incidentally the one through however, did not allow his dewhich he rendered the greatest parture to pass unnoticed, and a service to the Colony, was that committee of local residents the additional appointment of toria Gaol." His nomination to lic subscription as a token of re-Other ports are following Kingston Assistant Police Magistrate, and this post was indeed timely; for cognition of his many services to A Salvation Army official said that in stopping work on the waterfront. it is probable that the experience conditions in this time-honoured the Colony. Eventually, the

to him in later years when he There was apparently nothing the populace, and at a meeting successfully carried out his plan much known of discipline save of the Legislative Council voted of reforming the Hongkong the frequent administration of to award him an annual pension DA1541 the "cat." Prisoners were of £163. 6s. 8d. In the meantime, he was de- crowded into their cells with a Mr. Inglis, however, did not DA1651

to the Government in an age the reform of the criminal in penal administration.

four years, when he tendered his the mediaeval order of the Mr. Inglis was a man of the resignation. No reason for this famous prison. Workshops were ments, and, on this account, the official records, but from Mr. taught the elements of some could be remembered by re- Inglis' own remarks it appears useful trade. Those who were Mr. Inglis left the Colony the first time since the institu-

another,—that of Emigration Colony was to be cut short owing to ill health. Bright's disease—that malady of the middle-aged man-attacked him, and rendered it imperative that he should take a respite from his official duties. Accordingly, on

homes for hospitals.

A doctor at Queen Charlotte's Maternity Home said: "We are far too busy to bother with husbands, and we definitely be busy to bother with husbands, and we definitely be busy to bother with husbands, and we definitely be busy to be busy to bother with husbands, and while he never into the company of the him; for he died in the latter became a fluent speaker of this thrust into the company of the latter became a fluent speaker of this thrust into the company of the latter became a fluent speaker of this thrust into the company of the latter became a fluent speaker of this latter became a fluent speaker became a fluent speaker of this latter became a fluent speaker became a fluent speaker became a fluent speaker of the fluence for the fluence fluence for the fluence ion of potentially septle people into experimented here with a tree that interesting tongue, he yet ob- most hardened recidivist. Under part of the sixties. Thus passtheoretically unscrite wards because was 14 inches tall when he planted it tained an insight into Chinese such a regime it is not to be ed the man who made his office such a regime it is not to be ed the man who made his office psychology and mode of thought, wondered at that the Gaol in- of "Governor of Victoria Gaol" which rendered him invaluable stead of being an institution for a symbol of reform and progress



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In keep the scale braithy, strongthish the keir and bring out he netwest turning. Ash for Silviketo Lotina. For severe dandrull, serious falling hair, hald patches. To restore new heir growth see the concentrated natural

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(A Song of Vienna. (In Chambre Separce (Heuberger). (Ich Muss Wieder Elnmal. (Benatzky). ELIZABETH SCHUMANN. (SOPRANO.

(All Hall, Thou Dwelling. (Faust). DA1216 (O Dolce Incanto (The Dream).

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ISOLDE MENGES & HAROLD SAMUEL DB3123- (Beethoven Moonlight Sonats. 24 (C Bharp Minor. Op. 27. PADEREWSKI, PIANO.

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Marina Mouse, 19 Queen's Read U.

Jamaica Unrest AT the Salvation Army Mater- A regiment of soldiers and 300 THIS was followed on December of May 12, 1857 by which he was presented him with a handsome land the special constables have been enlisted 10th of the same year with designated "Governor of the Vic- gratuity of \$3,040 raised by pubin consequence of renewed strike bands are permitted to see their

A Salvation Army official salvation of compulsion.

Resistance on both sides in the gained on the Magistracy Bench penal establishment were then, Hongkong Government decided to put it mildly—chaotic.

to reciprocate the sentiments of the greatest assistance to put it mildly—chaotic.

In no circumstances were husbands

There is no evidence of this prac-

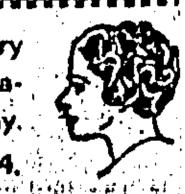
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AL. CAPONE TO LEAVE ALCATRAZ

America's Number One Gangster To Gain Temporary Freedom



SAILORS FROM H.M.S. KENT marching through the streets yesterday to take part in the March Past nt Happy Valley. The Commander-in-Chief, Sir Percy Noble, took the salute.—Kahn Photo.

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BRITAIN TO NEW NAVY ARMADA

LONDON, Jan. 4. THE BRITISH NAVY will be increased by 100 vessels of various description in 1939, according to the "Evening News," which adds that the increase will affect all types of ships, including 10,000 ton cruisers.

ships are now being built, apart from the big 35,000 ton battleships:

Scotch Whisky.

In addition to the above, three on-Tyne and Govan respectively. ing the present year.

The paper further states that of the five 35,000 ton battleships now being built, two will be ready in 1940, and the remaining three in 1941. Two other battleships, the construction of which has been approved, but not yet commenced, will, says the paper, have a displacement of 40,000 the five days are the largest carriers and the remaining three in 1941. The first is building at Barrow-in-furness, the second on the Tyne, and the third at Belfast.

World's instest battleships.

The three aircraft carriers to be launched are the Illustrious, Victorious, and Formidable, each of 23,000 tons. They are the largest carriers belief tons.

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Mr. J. Fitzgerald, for Miss Gallagher, of South Circular-road, Dublin. Both are aged 35.

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The paper estimates that the total number of British warships at present affoat are the Fiji, Kenya, Mauritius, GUIDE TO MISGUIDED under construction is approximately Nigeria, and Trinidad, representing a 150 .- Trans-Occan,

RECORD LAUNCHING

below the aggregate tonnage launch- with a rate of fire of 14 rounds a girl on the previous June and they for £50. the Great War.

Battleships

Aircraft carriers . 3 Large cruisers ... 5

On the other hand, still larger vessels under construction will not be completed until 1940.

The paper states that the following torpedo-boats, depot ships and tugs.

FIFTY 14 IN GUNS

The first important vessels to go Five aircraft-carriers, of which two affoat will be the battleship King Five aircraft-carriers, of which two will be ready this year,

22 cruisers, of which three of 10,060 tons each will be placed in service this year.

23 destroyers, of which 20 will be completed during 1939,

15 submarines, of which 13 will shortly be ready.

The allower of which will be the battleship King is to launch on Tyneside on Feb. 21. A sister ship, Prince of Wales, will take the water at Birkenhead in March, and during the summer and autumn three more vessels of the same class —Anson, Jellicoe and Beatty—will be launched at Clydebank, Wallsend-on-Tyne and Govern respectively.

NEW TYPE CRUISERS

The five large cruisers to be put letters had passed between them. new type of 8,000 tons and 33 knots speed, armed with 12 6in. guns.

RECORD LAUNCHING
IN PEACE-TIME

DURING 1939 Britain will
launch 45 new warships,
with a total tonnage of 355,705.
Such a figure has never before been approached in time of peace by any country, and is little, if at all, below the aggregate tonnage launch—

speed, armed with 12 6in. guns.
The seven smaller cruisers in the people's Club in Dublin and hoped to make money out of it.

"He subsequently ran excursions and organised dances for 'misguided as a tribute to his efforts in the cause of peace, a generous present in the cause of peace, a generous present below the aggregate tonnage launch—
with a rate of fire of 14 rounds a girl on the previous June and they

numerous smaller craft, without 355,705 counting the battleships, cruisers, All the above are combatant ships, destroyers and submarines to be pro-and the total of launchings in the vided for in the 1939 Navy Estimates.

Big Decline Recorded In China's Customs Revenue

SHANGHAI, Jan. 5. THE TOTAL CUSTOMS revenue in China during 1938 amounted to \$254,570,000 as compared with \$342,900,000 for the preceding year.

It shows a decrease of \$88,330,000 from the previous

The proceeds include \$160,4 Chinwanguao 940,000 import duties, \$16,580,1 Tientain -\$56,440,000; Chefoo visory panel of industrialists, set up 000 export duties \$55,840,000 \$4,020,000; Tsingtao \$8,870,000; to help in the co-ordination of inter-port duties, \$2,920,000 ton:

| Saland | Salan

Earnings at different customs \$4.410.000; and Mengtze \$4. and a full programme of work has stations were as follows:

420,000 — Domet. stations were as follows:

General Relu Machida, retired, died surtaxes, and \$9,170,000 revenue \$9,680,000; Canton \$19,650,000; of an illies at his residence in Tokyo Kowloon \$18,840,000; Wuchow meetings, starting before Christmas,

5 Years On U.S. Devil's Island'

NEW YORK, Jan. 4. SCARFACE AL CAPONE, America's No. 1 gangster, is to be freed on January 19 after nearly five years in Alcatraz, America's Devil's Island.

he left Chicago City, which he ruled with a gun, a nation that has given up the bootlegging that made him a fortune and has hunted down gangsters of which he was the pattern.

Then he will go back to prison ngain in the suburbs of Chicago for one more year.

Because he has behaved himself in prison, Capone's original elevenyear sentence in 1931 for income violation has been cut, but he must serve another year in a Chicago jail for another offence.

When Capone is finally releasedand he may never be because of his mental condition—he will wealthler than he was arrested.

The syndicate which has been running his enterprises—all legal, except gambling-have made tremanaging director.

Breweries, night-clubs, mineral water factories, macaroni factories, emphasise that the return of the two and even cleaning firms, have brought Capone's banking account a worsening of weather conditions.

into seven figures. The way for Capone's release has been cleared by the payment of over \$37,000 towards the \$50,000 fine and court costs outstanding against the Despite the official reason given for

former gang chieftain. ment to the district court, did not no Cabinet meeting is conemplated. would be paid.—Reuter.

Club

Mr. J. Fitzgerald, for Miss Gallag-her, said that the couple began keeping company in 1929. About 120

"For some reason," said Mr. Fltzgerald, "Behan started a Lonely

The vessels due to be launched in the Laforey class, understood to be that Behan used his home as an office

Socks For The King!"

Renfrew (Ontario).
—Said Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor-General of Canada, to a group of children at Ronfrew:-

"Children, I have a word for you. September last, the indictment stat-

The King and Queen are to visit Special. Canada and the United States next

Helping Britain's **Re-armament**

The panel has held a number of

Cuts His Vacation

Unexpected Action Linked With Spain Situation?

LONDON, Jan. 4. Mr. Neville Chamberlain and when Viscount Halifax unexpectedly decided this morning to return to London.

Originally the return of the Prime mendous profits for their absent Minister and Foreign Minister was scheduled for the week-end. Official quarters are anxious to

Ministers from the country is due to The Prime Minister's office denied

the return of the Ministers, and de-His advocate, who made the pay- spite an authoritative statement that indicate when the remaining sum political observers are attaching major importance to the unexpected return of Mr. Chamberlain and Viscount Halifax, since the Prime Minister a few days ago stated that he would have ample opportunity of meeting the Foreign Secretary be-

fore their journey to Rome. Political circles here, therefore, are inclined to believe that questions concerning the British attitude to-wards the Spanish and Mediter-ranean problems, which have assumed a more concrete form within the last few days, has induced the Ministers to return at an earlier date.

Increasing attention is being paid in London to the Spanish question, In addition to the above, three auxiliary ships, four mine-layers, three patrol ships, one submarine depot ship, two river gunboats, and 34 smaller vessels will be put into service in 1939, while independently of the naval programme for 1939-40, seven new cruisers will be ready dursely auxiliary ships, four mine-layers. These five units, the largest and most strongly armoured battleships ordered a suit for the wed-ding and worn it at the opening of a Lonely People's Club which the naval programme for 1939-40, seven new cruisers will be ready dursely the military population of the military ordered a suit for the wed-ding and worn it at the opening of a Lonely People's Club which ful type. With a designed speed of the founded, was ordered at seven new cruisers will be ready dursely the military population.

A MAN who was said to have operations have entered a decisive stage. According to all indications, London is revising its Spanish policy. Various quarters have appealed to ful type. With a designed speed of the founded, was ordered at seven new cruisers will be ready dursely the still be among the world's fastest battleships. tions, and to reveal the attitude he intends to take towards Mussolini in the question of the Spanish roblem. -Trans-Ocean.

Premier Gives Cheque Back To Charity

The Prime Minister has gratefully accepted the silver boat and lace tablecioth, and has asked the Governor of Malta, and organisers of the presentation, to devote the cheque to charity in Malta,-British Wireless.

Nazis Behead A West Front Spy

Berlin, Jan. 4. The third execution by beheading this year occurred this morning, when Rudolf Szories of Leipzig was

He was sentenced to death in 15 The King is coming, so I hope you ing that he had fled the country to will all brush your hair and pull up France, and had joined the secret your socks, for the King is especially service to spy on the fortifications on Germany's western frontier.-Reuter'

TAXI STRIKE ENDS

New York, Jan. 4. Mayor La Guardia has induced 11,000 taxi-drivers, who went on strike yesterday, to end the strike on Frday on promises of arbitration.



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FOR SALE.

TIN CAN MAIL COVERS. Letter enclosed in a watertight tin was put into the sea. For sale at Graca Co., 10, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

H.K. Stock Market

Market this morning:

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MANILA SHARES The following quotations were received after the close of the morning

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& Fritz' report on this morning's market: The Manila market was sleadler. Antamok and Atok both registered gains of 2 and 31/2 centavos respec-Bagulo Gold and Suyoc gained 14 centavo. Coco Grove and proposed by the Hon. Mr. N. L. Demonstration were the only losers, Smith. being off 1 and 1/2 centavos respec- ... A. suitable musical programme is

of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 9th. day of January, 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Sau Portuguese Minister. Chuk Yuen Road, Kowloon City, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for n term of 75 years, commencing from 1st July, 1898, with the option of renewal at a Crown further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.

that immediately after the dispo- afraid to walk down the street with minence in The Times and Daily Intending bidders are advised sal of the lot the Purchaser (if the wrong neighbour, the cost of Telegraph. not the applicant) will be required as free human beings, but moulded The following quotations were to deposit with an authorised by machines. issued on the Hongkong Stock officer who will be present at the "If the avoidance of these sale, the sum of two hundred; dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum taxes willingly as the price for my Mr. J. W. Nicholson's letter of Dewill be refunded on payment of breathing, and my children breath- cember 21 and castigates the Gov-

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NOTICE

R.A.O.B. (G.L.E.) Club, Queen's Building, Ice House Street, near Star Ferry, will hold a whist drive and tombola every Thursday, commencing Thursday, 5th January at 8.30 p.m. sharp.
All are welcomed.

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Mr. L. Dunbar retires from July 7034/7078 partnership in the above firm as of December 31st., 1938, and his interest and responsibility cease from that date.

STOCK MARKET REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued at 1.00 p.m. yesterday, says: A moderate turnover was put

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icrease their bids.	
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Canton Insurance \$210	
Union Insurance \$470	
H.K. Fire Insurance \$170	
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H. & S. Hotels 56.65	7. 3 1
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H.K. Docks (Old) \$10%	
H. & S. Hotels \$6.85	
H.K. Lands \$30.83	
HK. Renlties \$5.25	
H.K. Tramways \$17.60	
Peak Trams (Old) \$1%	
Peak Trams (New) \$3%	
Star Ferries \$72	
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Macao Electrics \$17	
Sandakan Lights \$10	•
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Dairy Farms \$24 Entertainments \$7 Vibro Piling \$6% H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 6% pm. H.K. Govt. 3%% Loan par. Hongkong Bank \$1,490 Union Insurance \$400 China Underwriters \$0.70 H.K. & K. Wharves \$1171/2 H.K. Docks (Old) \$19 H.K. Docks (New) \$17% Raubs \$9.35

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H.K. Docks (New) \$17.60 Providents (Old) \$0.40 H. & S. Hotels \$5.90 H.K. Lands \$36.65/37 H.K. Tramways \$17.50 China Lights (cum rts.) \$9.50 China Lights Rts. \$3.60/3.50 H.K. Electrics \$58/58% Telephones (Old) \$23% Cements \$16.60 Watsons \$8.05 Antamoks Ps. .52 Atoks ,2614 Benguet Consolidated 14.10 Coco Grove .50

Demonstrations 28

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being arranged.

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BURNS' NIGHT DINNER ON JANUARY 25

The Hongkong St. Andrew's Society will hold a Burns' Dinner in the Rose Room of the Peninsula Hotel on Wednesday, January 25, commencing at 8.15 p.m. The "Immortal Memory" will be

ADVERTISEMENTS. ROOSEVELT'S WARNING

"We Propose to Do Our PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS Share for Hemisphere?

(Continued from Page I.)

while other interested spectators were the French and Spanish Ambassadors, and the Mrs. Roosevelt and the President's mother were among the crowded

Loud and prolonged cheering greeted the President when he said: "Dictatorship involves costs which the American people will never pay-Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor the cost of our spiritual value, and of His Majesty the KING, for one the blessed right of being able to say what we please, the cost of freedom, the cost of our capital being having our children brought up, not

ing, the free air in a free country, crnment's long-suffering policy in in a living, not a dead world." in a living, not a dead world."

COMMODITY PRICES

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Sales for the day: -1,150 tons. Chicago Wheat May 705%/703%

September ... Tuesday's Sales: 20,816,000 bushels Chicago Corn May 531/2/531/2 533/4/537/2 mount the present financial difficul-DUNBAR. S. E. LEVY & CO. July 54½/54% 54¾/54¾ ties and establish a Far Eastern bloc

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Exchange At A Glance

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TRADE IN CHINA

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

Growing Anxiety Felt In Britain

London, Jan. 4. Further evidence of the growing anxiety of British business men at Japanese encroachment on foreign concentration camps, and of being trade rights in China is given pro-

Mr. Lennox B. Lee, who is Chairman of the Callco Printers' Association and a member of the Advisory mean taxes on my income, or duties Council to the Board of Trade, in a on my estate, I would bear those letter to The Times strongly supports

Senator Key Pittman, commenting "It is indeed astounding that this on President Roosevelt's speech, said country permits one of its largest and that he believes the Government will potential markets to be made an exconclude it is necessary to apply clusive Japanese raiding preserve by moral, financial, and commercial stendy elimination of British and sanctions against threaty violaters,- other foreign interests," he writes. "If the Government's long-suffering policy is not soon stiffened by something more than diplomatic protests, which only earn Japanese contempt and continental derision, the British trader might as well be told of the extinction of all he can look for since jour prestige is to be allowed to de-

Mr. Lee emphasises that British investments in China amount to £300,000,000 and contrasts the decline of British and American exports to China and increase of Japanese exports in 1938. He points out that what happened in Formosa, Korea and Manchukuo, where British trade is only one per cent, since they were annexed by Japan, will happen also in China unless Japanese aggression is checked.

"We can only pay the colossal bill of rearmament, social services and interest on loans if we increase, let alone maintain, our export trade and surely China with her magnificent May 16.28b/38a 16.30 /30 possibilities, natural genius for trade 16.30b/35a and desire for peace deserves far more support than we have so far given," he declared.

In the Daily Telegraph Mr. B. S. Keeling minutely analyses the resources of the economic bloc of China, Japan and Manchukuo and warns against facile assumptions of 7048/7034 the collapse of Japanese finance and economy. He emphasises that more British money is invested in China than in any country except Argentina. If therefore Japan can sur-557%/557% it will be first and foremost at this country's expense.-Reuter.

REPORT MARKET SWAN, CULBERTSON AND FRITZ'S DOW JONES SUMMARY

The market advanced as a result of the President's message. Armaments were strong anticipating the President's advocating a gigantic rearmament programme sometime next

Regarding the President's message the tone was considered favourable, especially as it contained a plen for cooperation between business and labour.

The Iron Age magazine found striking gains in steel operations in the principal steel centres. The December building awards were the highest since 1927.

Policemen To Be Linguists

Policemen stationed at traffic centres here will be required to speak several foreign lenguages with fluency. The new regulation is intended to make visitors feel at home and facilitate in general.

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Shanghai Stock Exchange: SHANGHAI, HONGKONG, MANILA AND SINGAPORE Cable Address: Swanstock

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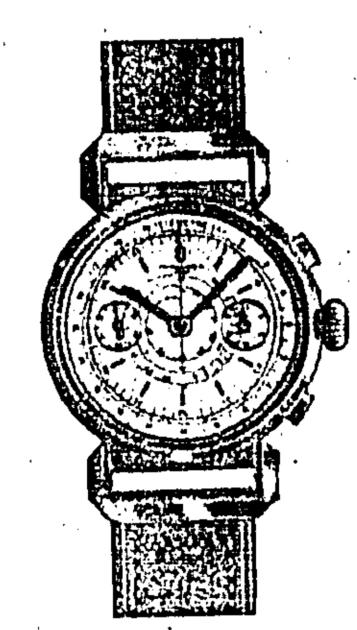
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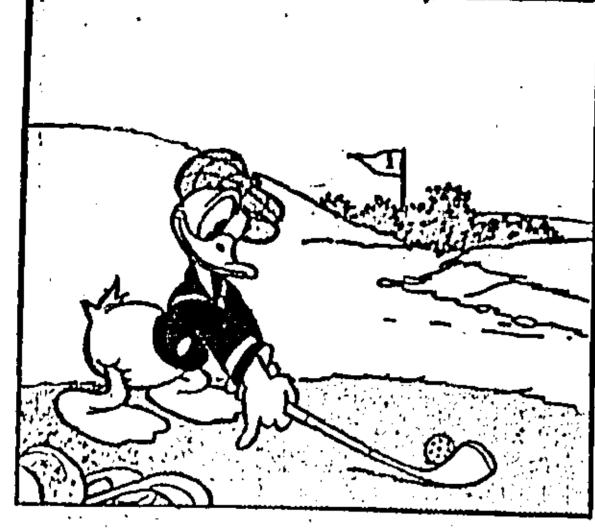
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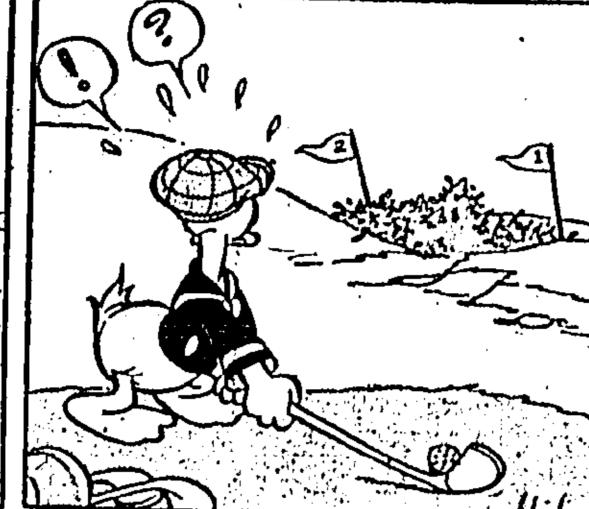
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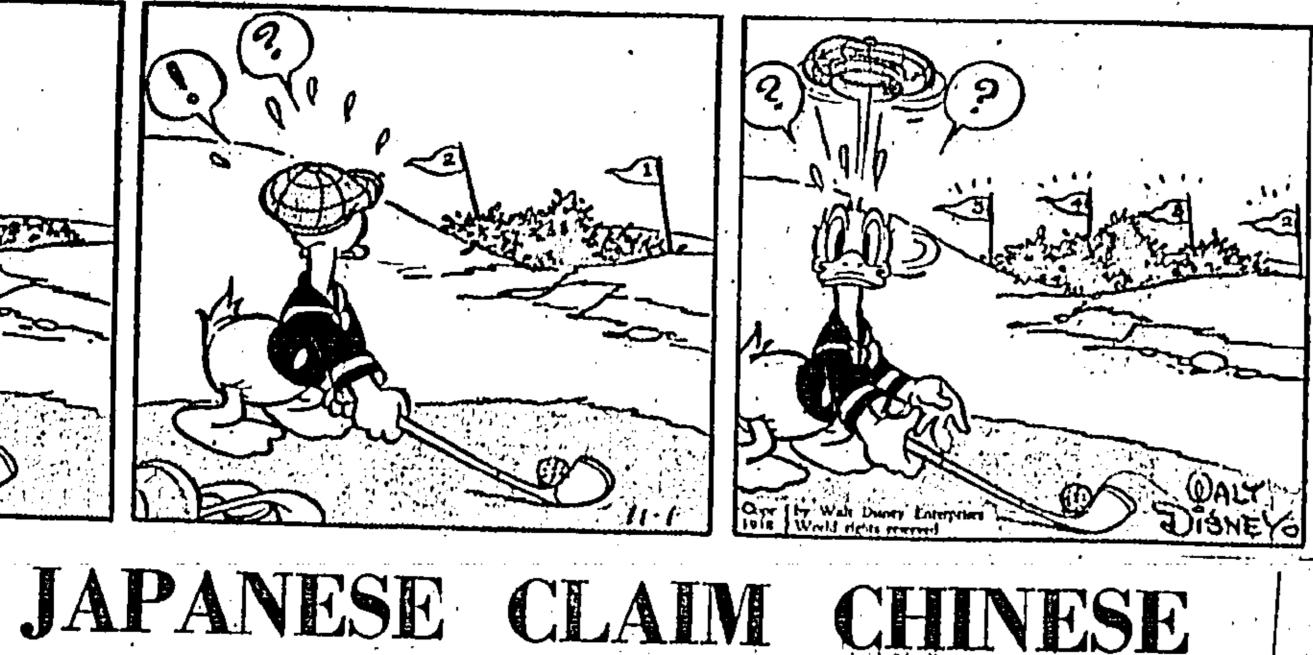
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SHANGHAI, Jan. 4.
AGAIN TESTIFYING to the fact that a large number Chinese troops are still behind the Japanese lines, Japanese reports state that large numbers of Chinese troops have surrendered in the region of the Taipeh Mountain, north and north-east of Hankow.

According to aerial observation, further large numbers of Chinese regular troops are still distributed among various villages in this area. It is expected that considerable fighting will take place before this region is cleared up, even if this is at all possible in view of the fact that the Japanese line north of Hankow is not continuous enough to over French Concession and the prevent the infiltration of Chinese forces.-Trans-Ocean, International Settlement this

FIGHT TO END

morning, dropped thousands of pamphlets written in Chinese, London, Jan. 4. The Chinese Ambassador, Mr. Quo alleging that various Chinese Tal-chi, speaking at the National leaders wanted peace on the basis of Wang Ching-wei's pro-chinese people to fight to the bitter posals, and that it is only Chiang end, until an equitable and lasting Kai-shek's obstinacy which has peace could be obtained, had been prevented this. strengthened.

The whole country was behind the Wellington Koo, Chinese Ambassador leadership of Generalissimo Chiang to Paris, Mr. Quo Tai-chi, Chinese

The Japanese peace terms were a Shih, Ambassador to Washington, fraudulent attempt to make China a had sent a telegram to Chiang Kalvassal State. Until Japan changed shek urging acceptance of Wang's her terms of policy towards China, proposals, while another pamphlet is there could be no alternative but to a verbailm translation of a "Reuter"

disturbance, China had proposals,-Reuter. shown none of weakening, and there was no possibility of surrender,-Reuter.

Grim Street Battle In Tsengshing

Yungyun, Jan. 5. Canton, on Monday morning, when Czecho-Slovakia will begin in the decent treatment of Czecho-Slovakia Czecho-Slovakia will begin in the decent treatment of Czecho-Slovakia Czecho-Slovakia will begin in the decent treatment of Czecho-Slovakia will begin in the Olsa district, which was ceded to Poland.

Called by the defence, the Rev. Of Decent Cycles and Aryans, it was an trict, which was ceded to Poland. gate, according to military reports. The Japanese suffered many reinforcements from Canton and soon. Shektan, saved the situation.

Under the terrific bombardment of character of the Czecho-Slovak State, the Japanese the Chinese later with- as well as economic necessity, makes drew from the city. They wrecked it essential to eliminate the Jews all bridges and heavily damaged the from the State, adding that all interhighways in the outskirts of Tseng- national emigres must eventually leave Czecho-Slovakia. - Trans-

While the attack on Tsengshing was going on, another Chinese unit surrounded 200 Japanese at Shetauling, a hill in the neighbourhood of the city. Over 90 casualties were inflicted on the Japanese there .- | now reached a total of £305,000 .-Central News:

DESIRE TO MAKE PEACE Pamphlets Ten Suspected Showered Bandits Held

On S'hai

Diplomats' Alleged

Telegram To Chiang

JAPANESE planes, flying

One pamphlet declared that Dr.

Ambassador to London, and Mr. Hu

story from Hongkong, sent on Decem-

EVICTION

OF JEWS

The paper says that the national

REFUGEE FUND NOW £305,000

London, Jan. 4.

nounced here to-day.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 5.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 5. TEN arrests, including three women, were made by the Shanghal municipal police yesterday evening in connection with the hold-up of a party of Americans and Britons on December 28, when bandlis stopped the party which occupied six cars, and robbed them of money, jewelry, and valuables....Reuter,

In Shanghai

REPLY TO POLISH NOTE

Czecho-Slovakia's Assurances

PRAGUE, Jan. 4.

CZECH MASS The note points out that the prove that guarantee. Czecho-Slovak Government is ready Luk Hok-king, court translator at to examine the Polish complaints of the Supreme Court, said that a transfrontier violations, and is anxious to lation of the document as made by do everything in order to facilitate Mr. Chan Kwok-yan, a former court positive and quiet relations between translator, was a correct one, and he Czecho-Slovakia and Poland.

But the note underlines the neces-sity of the Polish Government help-Grim street fighting raged in A mass expulsion of emigres from ling in these endeavours by just and DISAGREED WITH TRANSLATION

According to one newspaper, the has simultaneously instructed its that he disagreed with the translation casualties in the face of the flerce taken a decison of this pature, and Minister to Warsaw to protest at the made by the former court translator,

King Saud's Protest To Roosevelt

Lord Baldwin's refugee fund has Cairo, Jan. 4. has sent a protest to President sity, was also called by the defence. to either contradict or help ex-Roosevelt in which he denounces the anti-Arab attitude of the United translated to mean that if Yau fail- claim." States with regard to the Palestine of to pay, then Tang must pay up?problem.

outlook be dictated by "one-sided Jewish ideas."-Trans-Ocean.

ARAB LEADERS TO CONFER

Grand Muftl. It is also understood that the first meeting of the Palestine conference will take place on January 18, and it was intended that. Tang should didn't seem any too eager to uphold sterling, the London official gold present,-Reuter.

Premier's Suite For Rome Visit

London, Jan. 4.

The Prime Minister and the Foreign Secretary will be accompanied to floome by Mr. Chamberlain's prioffer parliamentary private secretary to the Pereiler. Lord Dunglass, the Under-Secretary in the Foreign Office, Sr Alexander Cadogan, the head of the South European Department of the Foreign Office, Mr. Maurice Ingram, a member of the press department of the Foreign Office, Mr. Charles Peake, and the private secretary to the Foreign Office, Mr. Charles Peake, and the private secretary to the Foreign Office, Mr. This might be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, but if the story is to have attempted to claim it, should the still be living, bu The Prime Minister and the For-

CHINESE **EXPERTS** DISAGREE

Rev. Wells' Court Evidence On Translation

Experts on the Chinese language were called as witnesses before (film 'Here's To Romance'); Here's Chief Justice, Sir Atholi Mac-Gregor, at the Supreme Court the film). . Mantovani and His Tipica Band. this morning, when a claim was brought by Lee Pal-yin against Yau Tit-hing and Tang Siu-shu for the return of \$2,304 guaranteed by Tang on a borrowing note.

The Hon. Mr. Leo D'Almada, Jnr., instructed by Mr. D'Almada Remedies, appeared for the plaintiff, while Mr. G. She, instructed by Mr. F. G. Nigel, appeared for second defendant, against whom the claim was

Mr. D'Almada said that security for the loan had been put up by the borrower by way of shares in a certain Shanghal company, and guaranteed by second defendant. THE Czecho-Slovak note was The only meaning that could be at-While Jopan was showing signs of ber 31, outlining Mr. Wang's handed to the Polish Minister tributed to the document, said to-day in reply to the various by Tang of the loan, and the sole counsel, was that it was a guarantee issue at point was for counsel to

agreed with it. Witness said that the document was a guarantee by Tang

of many Chinese books, and a teacher To the Editor, The Czecho-Slovak Government of Chinese for the past 27 years, said Chinese onslaught and were thrown into a precarious position. However, the timely arrival of heavy Japanese Jewish problem will be announced district.—Trans-Ocean.

Minister to Warsaw to protest at the made by the former court translator, number of incidents in the same and detailed the words, phrases and district.—Trans-Ocean. punctuation of the document with sent a coolie to the G.P.O. in an which he was in conflict. Witness endeavour to buy just 300 four-cent was of the opinion that the document stamps. meant that on the expiration of the time limit for repayment of the loan, order but our efficient Post Office was had Yau been unable to repay, Lee unable to cope with it. was to take the shares to Tang, who would arrange for their sale and quarter of an hour later. the handing over of the proceeds to the plaintiff as repayment of the principal and interest on the loan. From his translation of the document, Tang was not responsible for the repayment of the loan.

Professor Hau Ti-shan, professor King Ibn Saud of Saudi Arabia, of Chinese at the Hongkong Univer-

Asked for a definite answer, Pro- alm the laurels.

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7.40 Sindio-Z.B.W. Orchestra. Thomas); Interval Pretty Mocking of La Scala, Milan conducted by Bird (Bishop)....Mavis Bennett Carlo Sabajno. (Soprano) with Plano accomp. by 11.0 Close down.

tovani).... Montovani and His Tipica

8.0 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

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A talk by A. P. Newton, D. Litt. 9.30 London Relay.The News.

0.50 Fritz Kreisler (Violin). Caprice Viennols (Kreisler); Tam-Memories (Harry Woods); Every- bourin Chinois (Kreisler)....with

10.0 Schubert-Moments Musicaux Played by Ethel Leginska (Plano). 10.23 Puccini's "La Tosca" Act III.

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The First Shot

Sir,-I have patiently awaited and followed each issue of the "Tele- than a year before. The total ingraph" for the past week, and I don't cluded 1,384,922 men, 45,549 boys, think anyone has taken up the pen 356,580 women, and 44,321 girls.— Mr. She: Can this document be Mariner to give the full story of his

I must confess I had not heard of this incident before, and I thank ex-It is stated that King Saud demanded that if America finds it
be responsible for the conversion of authority; whether he was a resident

Condon, Jan. 4. necessary to interest nerself at all in the value of the shares and handling of Sydney at that time; if he happened the Palestine problem, she should over the money for them to Lee. to be there for any reason, or if he generally quiet, with an easier trend Has he any other duties other than paper, (I took care to do this, viz. account. had read it in some authentic news- owing to the approach of the end that?—No statement is given in the the "Daily Mail") so we have just Gilt-edged securities closed around got to take his word for it and hand the day's lowest quotations in sym-

France nave agreed that the Arab that the document did not require mistake and meant to refer to Mel- response to the overnight publicaleaders at present in Cairo may visit any other duty of Tang than that bourne's Claim in his letter, I can re- tion of the Royal Dutch and Shell late a little of that to him; but 1 interim dividends, which maintained my first article; the fact I didn't men- spectively. Mr. She: Under that document, if Lon It was; the "News of the World" Reflecting yesterday's weakness in

Yes, a phrase should be added, thus, if the charges are unsaleable Tang must be responsible for the repayment of the loan.

Mr. D'Almada submitted that the plaintiff had succeeded in his claim, notwithstanding the evidence given by Rev. Mr. Wells and Prof. Hsu. It was clear, he contended, that the document was entirely unambiguous.

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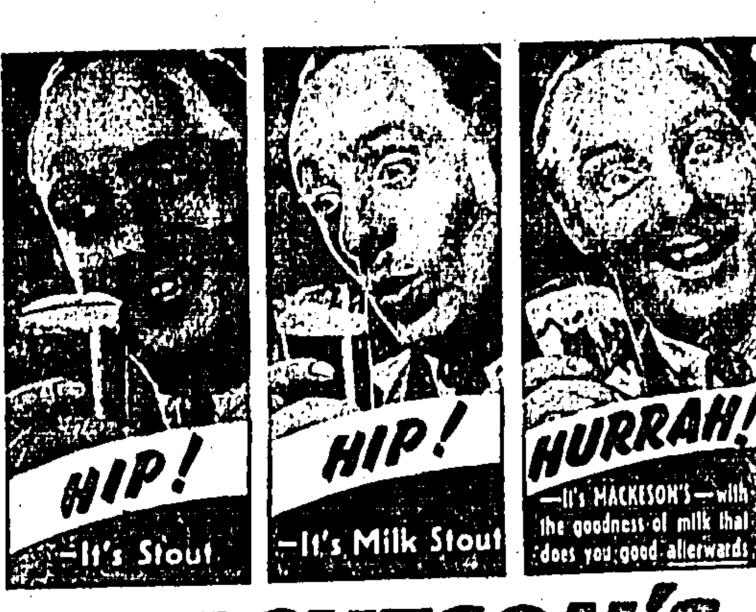
London, Jan. 4. The Ministry of Labour estimates at December 12 state that the number of insured persons in employment in Great Britain was approximately 12,263,000. This was 5,000 more than a month before, and about 10,-000 more than a year before. At the same date, the registered unemployed totalled 1,831,372, com-

prising 1,474,019 wholly unemployed, 294,708 temporarily laid off, and 02,-645 normally in casual employment. The total was 3.269 more than a month before, and 105,965 more British Wireless.

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It is understood that Britain and fessor Hau said that he was sure Should ex-Mariner have made a Oils were moderately active in pathy with the weakness of sterling.

that Mr. Neville Chamberlain will be repay the whole loan, ought there to it when they published it; any way, price was fixed at the new high record of 150/5d, However, sterling



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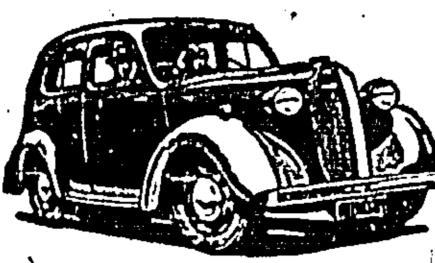
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news agencies sometimes of the British people. send us about international affairs!

and Italy, shout rude remarks at one another.

pull long faces and talk of war. deep-rooted national revulsion tor nations, an ever-increasing Headquarters at Dessie.

not always part of our present war. But there was not then, ple are in favour of closer coinadequate form of civilisation. there is not to-day, never has operation with Britain, despite THERE HAS BEEN a great We have had them in the past been "fear" to fight for country, the isolationist school of thought. and will have them in the

clopaedia Britannica" tells you Nile, where British and French forces met in 1893.

those at the entrance to the Red | tive of the value of Prime Minis-Sea. And Kitchener hurried up ter Neville Chamberlain's flight is in the circumstances unavoid- rumours and reports exaggeratthe Nile to head them off.

Europe was filled with alarm. Nothing came of it. For Kitchener persuaded the French commander to evacuate Fashoda. Though some Frenchmen cried the other, nor can we judge the wide. out against the "Pact of Shame", the tension passed away. And six years later Britain and France made an entente which included a complete settlement people still overlook is the fact of their colonial differences.

large one day fade away into nothing the next.

The air is always full of rights

and wrongs. When the Tunisia and Djibouti grievances die down we will find more waiting. There seem to want to say their piece, and thump the big drum. There seeking sympathy.

say perhaps somebody will start world. to talk sense to that silly continent that is Europe.

expensive cables telling us about Shanghai. new crises and new wrangles.

Postscript

received too much free publicity. pire."

Lady Drummond-Hay,

who recently visited Hongkong, sends from London this absorbing article on

Defending This Empire

have been and still are open-interpret the forthcoming visit

British Empire.

The Shape of Things to Come, the British Empire." that is to me one of the most significant, certainly one of the Some American commentators

happiness of the free British thereby.

Our love of peace, admittedly America. Two European Powers, France | mently, has occasionally been good reason for believing, is far tion of nation-wide fear.

As a result, misguided people if by "fear" is understood a ing aggressiveness of the Dicta-As if incidents like this are against the folly and crime of proportion of the American peo-Empire and all we hold dear.

The spirit of England is very

France sought to link up her possessions in West Africa with WE ARE YET too close to the picture to gain real perspecto Berchtesgaden in September, able for the time being. humbling his own pride, the pride of his high office, of the Empire and of the British people. We cannot see the evolving details in proper relation one to wisdom of the Premier in allowof that triumph and the consciousness of a victorious con-The disputes which bulk so Hitler's sweeping success in the Czecho-Slovakian crisis, no Bri-Munich.

Berchtesgaden, Godesberg and Munich however, have had an in- States. evitable consequence and effect which should by no means be underestimated. That is loss of afford to be indifferent to prestige. Not Empires or Great fluential factor, not only within When they have all had their | the Empire but all over

Berchtesgaden, Godesberg and army.

The author reflects such extraordinary prejudices against England, and goes to such oman lengths to prove his contention, Pan-that it is difficult to believe he can be by birth an Englishman.

ly gambling on the of the King and Queen to Canada "Decline and Fall" of the and the United States next June in the light of a "Royal SOS to America"—that in effect, it is As the New Year foreshadows an appeal to America to "save

most important factors looming point to a possibility that Eng- other nation is called upon on the horizon, which the diplo- land might fall under the solve. macy and power of Adolf Hitler, domination of the Dictators, and of Benito Mussolini and the am- go so far as to attribute Presiinto their pattern of the Future, armament programme to that Envious of the wealth and idea, and America's isolation

proach to their systems, covetous resurgence of the one-time na- chatted in Singapore with Majorof British territories, somewhat tional spirit of the Bull-dog General W. G. S. Dobbie, General intoxicated by sensational suc-breed' sweeping the Empire" Officer in command of Singapore cesses born in part of bold bluff, can save Britain. Others main- Fortress and of all the Malay Deand in part of our own unpre-tain that Mr. Chamberlain is-fence Forces. paredness, the Fascist and Nazi shrewdly playing for time for regimes are deceiving them- two purposes, to increase Bri-WHAT A LOT of nonsense selves as to the real sentiment tain's defensive strength, and to come to an understanding with

> sometimes expressed too vehe- President Roosevelt, I have misinterpreted as a manifesta-from averse to such an understanding provided it is on a fifty-We in England did fear war, fifty basis. In view of the grow-

future. Worse incidents. Grave much alive, even though we CINCE THE END of the World tension. A" I no war came of would rather talk of peace than War, more particularly since below them, have not always Fashoda, for instance. "Ency- absence of sabre-rattling and stage of the Dictator powers, especially applicable to our air truculence as a sign of national Britain's policy has been shaped armament. If it has deceived about it. A place beside the cowardice will discover their and fixed by the necessities, anyone, it has been the British limitations, even weaknesses of people themselves. Paper past-- Empire strategy.

In strong- nations, political ceal the void. policy dictates military strategy on land, sea and in the air. If military secrets of national dethe reverse is true in England, it fence has furnished ground for

British Empire extends more is evident from welcome signs than sixteen thousand miles that the British Lion is bestiraround the globe, and in Africa ring himself and swishing his this belt is three thousand miles tail. That is a cheerful promise inhaking.

ing Adolf Hitler the exaltation two countries, states dominions, Secretary Malcolm MacDonald feat of winning the mythical "Ashes" possessions, provinces, colonies, watered his promise regarding in Australia in the first three matches mandates, dependencies and pro- the British Colonies with the time England has went the "Ashes" in queror at Munich. What many tectorates, not to mention those qualification that it is "not now" countries such as Egypt, Trans- an issue. that aside from British prestige, jordania and Iraq, whose protection against foreign invasion is been a well-informed source, directly or indirectly guaranteed that Adolf Hitier also told Mr. tish interests were sacrificed at by Great Britain. In the above number I have not counted separately the innumerable Indian

British Naval strategy is indicated by no fewer than twnety- that the question is "not now" six Naval bases and stations, timely, are lots of people in Europe who prestige. Small nations can British Royal Air Force air bases and commercial aerodromes are scattered over a line eleven thou. DASED ON LIBERTY, de-Powers. Prestige has for many sand miles long to far off New D is a queue of oppressed nations | decades been Britain's most in Zealand. Britain's peacetime British Commonwealth may be a military forces on land in this loosely-joined Empire in the revenue. vast Empire number scarcely eyes of some foreigners, but one-third of Germany's standing when danger signals fly, it al-

Munich projected the world- That the Central Government up into one solidly united front. wide question "Is the British in London in formulating policy, Napoleon fought England for It is time the nations there Empire on the Decline?" Ger- more especially in times of grave eight years. He died a British settled down to the job of decid- mans and Italians openly affirm international crisis, is necessari- prisoner on the Island of St. ing how they are going to live it. Americans suspect it. Ger- jy influenced by the advice of the Helena. alongside one another instead of trying to live on top of one and it. The question is asked in Admiralty, and must take into must follow a policy" for "you letters I receive from America. constitution the advice of the Helena.

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tary and air strategy for the Em- Metternich said to the Emperor pire which from time to time Napoleon in the latter's Head-AN ENGLISHMAN, Robert confront the Admiralty and Im- quarters in Dresden on June We haven't written an Briffault, living in America, perial General Staff and its 26, 1813, after the terrible re- within territories consistent with editorial about Wang Ching-wei. has given impetus to the thought Chief. Lord Gort, whom I first treat from Moscow of Napoleon We do not intend to write an and doubt with a sensational met in China in 1927 when he with the remnants of his Grand will succumb in the struggle." editorial about Wang Ching-wei. | book just out, entitled "The De- was Chief of Staff of the British Army. Metternich said: That gentleman has already cline and Fall of the British Em- Expeditionary Force, are more "The destiny of Europe, its leadership and co-operation. The difficult than those which any future and yours, lies in your British nation will follow.

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WAS PARTICULARLY imof Benito Mussolini and the ani-dent Roosevelt's gigantic re- WAS PARTICULARLE in-bitions of Japan want to weave dent Roosevelt's gigantic re- pressed with this thought when early this year (1938), flew within sight of Malta, saw the Royal Air Force bases near peoples which is a constant re- One writer holds that "only a Baghdad, and three days later

> By the end of another week, I was in Hongkong talking Colonel H. B. Holt, Commission- Miss Mary Endicott of Salem, Mass, er of Defence and Security in that vital Empire possession.

> I had known Colonel Holt when was in Abyssinia during the war there. He was the British Professor Mike Donovan, retired middle-Military attache and I was weight champion, met in a glove conguest of the Emperor Haile Selassie at the latter's military draw.

armament" in our Press.

Promises and hopes of the club. headliness and what was printed ed over a hole does not long con-

Necessity of maintaining the Esq. ing our weakness in the air.

It should be recalled that the That we are growing stronger tion was again marked, and anxiety for the New Year.

The Empire embraces ninety- A pity only, that Colonial

I hear from what has hitherto Pirow, the South African Minister, on his visit to Der Fuehrer in Berchtesgaden, that his demand for the former German Colonies "ist nicht aktuel." That is the German way of saying

mocracy and freedom, the ways has, and will again close

The problems of naval, mili- Munich what the Austrian Count

A Look Through The "Telegraph"

50 YEARS AGO

A correspondent at Taku informs us that he hears on very good authority that the Chinese Government has nuthorised the construction of a railway from Tientsin to Tungchow.

The first through express train from Paris arrived at Constantinople to-day.

The marriage of Joseph Chamberlain, M.P., of Birmingham, England, and took place at St. John's Eplacopal Church, Washington. The coremony was of the simplest possible descrip-

Jack Dempsey, the middle-weight champion puglist of the world, and test at mid-night. Six rounds were fought, and the contest was declared a

25 YEARS AGO

The fifth annual ball arranged by the Taikoo Club was held at the Club house, Quarry Bay, and was a most successful affair. The attendance of deal of paper and ink "rethree hundred was the biggest on
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TEN YEARS AGO

The failure of His Majesty to make any improvement in his general condicontinued.

The Duke of Gloucester while hunting with the Quorn, near Barsby, felt at a wide ditch but escaped with a

Australia since 1911-12.

With practically no rain at all in December, the water supply situation continues to give cause for anxiety on the Hongkong side. All the reservoirs are well below overflow, big Tytam Tuk being no less than 47 feet down.

FIVE YEARS AGO

The whole question of the local method of water distribution is involved In the petition which Chinese Property owners have presented to the Government. In general, they are bound to receive a sympathetic hearing. The leaue has been brought to a head by economic pressure, the tendency to lower rentals, the existence of many empty flats, with excess water consumption varying little, having brought about a position where charges for such out of all proportion to property

Following yesterday's Ludies' hockey trink in preparation for the forthcom-ing visit of the Australian Ludies' hockey team, a representative side was provisionally picked as under:

R. Rose (St. Andrew's); E. M. Gray (H.K. Ladies), B. Helbling (H.K. Ludies); I. Woolley (St. Andrew's), J. Wong (St. Andrew's); M. Wallace (H.K.

hands. There are incompati-| bilities between Europe and the | course you have hitherto pursued. The world needs peace. To ensure it, you must retire

Let us have Anglo-American

G.M.C. HEAR AMAZING TALE OF DOCTOR AND MARRIED WOMEN

"Guilty" But Not Struck Off

N amazing story of a married doctor and a married woman, in which allegations of blackmail were made, was told in London recently to the General Medical Council.

Dr. John Christopher Jones, of Glebe, South Yardley, Birmingham, was found guilty of "infamous conduct in a professional respect" by committing adultery with the woman, Mrs. Hesba Woodman, usually known as Mrs. H. M. B. Jones, of Washwood Heath-road, Birmingham, on March 6, 1934, while he was her medical adviser.

The council, however, decided not to erase his name from the medical register.

Mr. A. S. Pereira said the "No, they have not," replied Mr. complainant in the case was Mr. Jones. Edward Jones, no relative to anyone in the case, but a lifelong friend of Mrs. Woodman and her

family. Mr. Pereira said that in 1922 or 1923 Dr. Jones was medical adviser at Portloe, near Truro, to Mrs. Blamey and her two daughters, Mrs.

Puckey and Mrs. Woodman. Mrs. Woodman, however, was then known as Miss Blamey-she had kept her marriage secret from everyone, even her mother.

In 1926 Dr. Jones was asked by the husband to attend Mrs. Woodman at her second confinement.

she began to pester him. Dr. Jones moved to Chatham and the Blameys followed him. Later he whatever in this allegation of rape? went to Australia for 214 years, returning in 1931 to go into partnership with his brother in Birmingham.

A CRY

Giving evidence, Mr. Edward Mrs. Woodman had gone away to Jones said that at Chatham in his commit suicide. presence Dr. Jones tried to induce "These calls came repeatedly dur-Mrs. Woodman to go to Australia ing the day and finally there came with him, saying he was willing to a call late in the evening, asking leave his own tamily.

He had been paying Mrs. Wood- when I went that it was true. man £1 a week. Station-road, Birmingham.

Describing the scene on March 6, on the railway station and had 1934, he said at lunch time he was in brought her back." the kitchen and the children in the drawing room.

her cry out and I went to the door, continuing. out of the dining-room door with the committed suicide. She might throw

"He said to me, 'Is this what you tacked me.

"The children came on the scene, against me. Mrs. Woodman was on the settee, cry-

ture was broken.

were very frightened. Eventually I committed adultery. escorted the doctor out of the door. that I was fired of that method of day and her screaming and fighting treatment and it was time he put that and upsetting the furniture?-Just a sort of thing out of his head and let pack of lies. her live a decent life.

"His reply," said Mr. Jones, "was always the same: 'I love her and want her to go away with me. shall never be happy until she does."

"IN PUBLIC INTEREST"

Cross-examined by Mr. G. D. Roberts, K.C., for the doctor, Mr. Jones agreed that he was charging Dr. Jones with rape four and a half years ago, of which he knew at the

Mr. Roberts: You say you are bringing this charge for protection? -In the interests of the general public.

I suggest to you this charge is brought because Dr. Jones has refused to pay you and Mrs. Woodman any more money?-No.

I suggest that in the middle October of this year you sent a messnge to Dr. Jones saying that you would withdraw the charge if he would resume payments?—This is the first word I have ever heard of such

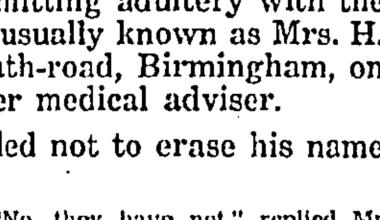
a thing. Have you constantly used the threat - of this tribunal as a lever to get money out of him?—I have never used that threat at all at any time. Mr. Roberts: I have to suggest to you that you are a liar and a blackmailer.—I am not a liar, and I

am certainly not a blackmailer. Mr. Jones dealed that before Dr. Jones went to Australia he (the doctor) sent Mrs. Woodman £100. Mr. Roberts: On the occasion of this rape-March 6, 1934-was Mrs.

Woodman screaming for you?-Yes. Mr. Roberts produced two cheques from Dr. Jones made out in the name of Mrs. Jones. They were dated 27-3-34 and 28-3-34, and were for £2 Studies Research Committee at Ludy Vice-Chancellor of the warm support and £3.

Mr. Roberts: In addition to your 8 last, under the chairmanship of Ionial Office and the Colonial massive irradiation from a large threats to Dr. Jones, did you begin in 1938 also threatening his wife?---I have never spoken to her and I 150 Colonial officials home on leave an inaugural address by Lord would not know her if I saw her. Did you telephone her and ask her if she was interested in divorce?— Vice-Chancellor of the University H. D. Henderson, while Lord Lothlan

Mr. Roberts' last question was, "I Colonies. In the course of a speech on Islam. suggest that none of your actions in in which he defined the goal of Bri- For comparison with British ad- pitals. this matter has been actuated by tish Government as "the ultimate es- ministration in Africa and Malaya, motives of public benefit; I suggest tablishment of the various colonial Mr. Hobart dealt with Indian and they all have been actuated by mo- communities as self-supporting and Monsieur Marzorati with Reigian tives of blackmail."



Mr. Pereira said he had been Instructed by Mr. Jones that If the evidence of Mrs. Woodman. which would be of a painful nature, could not be given in camera, and unless she could be referred to as Mrs. Jones, and not as Mrs. Woodman, he would not allow her to be called.

"SAVED"

The council refused the application, and so the case for the complainant closed.

In evidence Dr. Jones said Mrs. Woodman was always saying that she had saved him-meaning that she After this, according to Dr. Jones, could have reported him to the coun-

> Mr. Roberts: Is there any truth —Absolutely none. Asked to tell what happened on

> March 6, 1934, Dr. Jones, speaking with great emotion, said:

me to go there. I went. I believed able to continue your good work

nan £1 a week.

'Mrs. Puckey (Mrs. Woodman's sister) told me Mr. Jones had found her rushing about like a wild thing

VISIONS OF COURT

"Dr. Jones and Mrs. Woodman Dr. Jones faltered and sat with his chester Assizes in July for man- vate means and no other calling. were in the dining-room. I heard head in his hands for a minute before slaughter by killing a cyclist as he His friends had stood by him.

"Dr. Jones was then about to come "I had visions she might have of drink.

might do away with herself. "I had visions of a coroner's in-

Mr. Roberts: Is there any truth and a glass of beer. "When I saw him next I told him whatever in this story of rape at mid-

Dr. Jones enumerated the large number of payments he had made, including sums for rent and rates, and added, "There was always the suggestion behind these payments that they were saving me from the General Medical Council."

Dr. Jones said after the complaint had been made to the G.M.C. Mrs. Puckey suggested it might be withdrawn if he resumed payments of 30s, a week. Mr. Douglas Bartley (legal assessor): Were you the father of any of these children?—The only possibility is the third, and that seems to me to be extremely unlikely.

The council then gave their ver- lute. dict after a short retirement.



Y.M.C.A. Pantomime, "Cinderella",-King's Studio,

G.M.C. Hear Widow's Divided Plea For Doctor Who Time Killed Her Husband Between

General Medical Council in London entirely to blame. They would have recently, Dr. David Davidson Wat- some grudge against me, but they "I received telephone calls that son, of Wakefield, scrving a 20 don't."

widow of the man he killed. the bottom of my heart you will be and appreciate your services." among the sick."

but he plended in vain.

drove a car while under the influence doctor had offered him help.

intention of leaving, but I stopped herself under a railway train. She solicitor to the Council, said that hour, by the day, by the week, and quiries about him. "I asked him if Watson was before the Council in by the month. May, 1936, following a conviction "You are, in effect, being asked the other lady. He said 'Yes." want?' put his hands up and ut- quest, identifying the body, and sort for bring drunk in charge of a car. to-day to sentence me a second time Esther Parker, a cleaner of Liverof opprobrium which might be hurled Watson told the Council that a for the same offence," he declared. | pool Road, Islington, was called.

cyclist turned into his path from the He produced a number of letters. "Have you been living with anyone?" "When she came I was terribly re- wrong side of the road; he swerved One from the Mayor of Wigan she was asked. lieved to see her alive, and I went to his own wrong side to avoid this stated that Watson's present punish-"We had a fight, during which the up to her, put my arms around her, cyclist, and as he was returning to ment was severe and that he sincere- reply, with a nod towards the dock. sideboard capsized and some furni- feeling terribly grateful that she his proper side two other cyclists ly hoped that he might have the "On certain days he goes to work hadn't committed suicide. I held her rode in front of him. He hit the opportunity of assisting him. "The children screamed. They light, and she held on to me, and I back wheel of one of the machines. He had had two small whiskies

"THE IRONY OF IT"

"I have come from prison to-day, and to prison I so back to-night," Watson said. "What my reactions! will be in prison to-night-whether different from what they have been

before-depends on you, gentlemen. "The irony of the thing is that the unfortunate person who was killed was a patient of my cwn. Since going to prison I have had letters from his wife and from his mother.

Court Plea

Mrs. Ethel Wade, wife of George Cancer. Robey, the comedian, recently ap-Mr. Bartley: You are not the father plied to Mr. Justice Langton, in the of the first or second?—Definitely Divorce Court, to have a decree nisi granted to her in April made abso-

politics and economics was sketched

The marriage took place in 1898

Colonial Administration

-School At Oxford

Colonial Administration will be held in 1940 is an-

nounced by the Oxford Society in the winter number

of their journal, "Oxford," published recently. It is

generally thought, state the Society, that it would be

held under the nuspices of the Social Instions," Mr. MacDonald assured the

Margaret Hall from June 27 to July accorded to the School by the Co-

hum as vice-chairman. More than The sequence of lectures followed

attended, including 21 from Malaya Lugard. The background of world

The session was opened by the by Sir Alfred Ernest Barker and Mr.

and the Secretary of State for the spoke on India and Professor Gibb

a mistake to make the School an annual event.

The second session of the School commonwealth of

Professor Coupland, with Miss Per- | Governments.

(three of whom were Malays).

THAT the University's next Summer School on

BROUGHT from prison to appeal "Surely these people would not for his future career before the write to me if they thought I was I WO HOMES

months' sentence for manslaughter, The widow wrote: "I thought I read letters from the mother and must write you again to say baby and myself are both well. I have met The widow said: "I hope from several people lately who knew you

MOTHER'S SYMPATHY

equalled by imprisonment for life," all be very trying to you, and I Crescent, Potters Bar, was recently offer you my sympathy. I am sure at Clerkenwell committed for trial The Council ordered his name to that, given an opportunity of begin- on a charge of bigamy. ning again, you will make good." Watson was sentenced at Man- Watson said that he had no pri-

He spoke of his 20 months' dis-Mr. F. P. Winterbotham, acting comfort, "to be measured by the the other woman came to make in-

-Bigamy case Allegation

Said to have spent half the week with his wife and the other half with a woman he is alleged to have mar-The doctor pleaded that to be The mother's letter said: "I hope ried bigamously, Henry de la Berstruck off the register "can only be you are keeping very well. It must tauche (50), caterer, of Allandale

Annie de la Bertauche, Allandale Crescent, said it was about two years ago that prisoner, whom she married at Islington in 1914, began spending only three days a week at home. When her husband was in hospital

lit was true that he was married to

"My husband, of course," was her all night," she explained.

massive quantities of radium on "bomb" was obtained.

be published by the Medical Research Council in about a fortnight's time.

This was hinted recently by Sir William Bragg, president of the Chief Engineer of Ship At Royal Society, who declared that the research had proceeded "with no little success."

The three workers are Miss Constance A. P. Wood, radiotherapist, of Aberdeen, chief engineer of the formerly research radiologist at British ship Deslock, has been miss-King's College Hospital; Dr. T. An- ing since he left the vessel at Kowthony Green, assistant radiotherapist, loon Dock at 3 a.m. on Wednesday, who came to this country from New Christian walked off the ship at Zenland, and Mr. L. G. Grimmett, the eastern jetty and has not been radium plant at Westminster Hos- other belongings are in his cabin.

with Dr. Roy Ward, medical director of the Radium Institute. Research has been with a method known to scientists as "beam therapy," in which use is made of

quantity of radium. First experiments on these lines were made just after the war with 214 grammes of radium from the stock held by the Government for military purposes. The results were so discouraging that after 18 months the experiment ended and the radium was distributed among hos-

NEW COMMITTEE Developments by Stockholm and Paris scientists indicated the need for further experiment with mass quan-

IN a laboratory barely out of titles, and five years ago an inearshot of the Oxford Street Beam Therapy was set up. Mrs. Robey's Divorce traffic three young research A large unit of radium was lent workers have laboured for five by Belgium, and work began with years to study the effect of two five gramme "bombs" of radium. A year later another five gramme

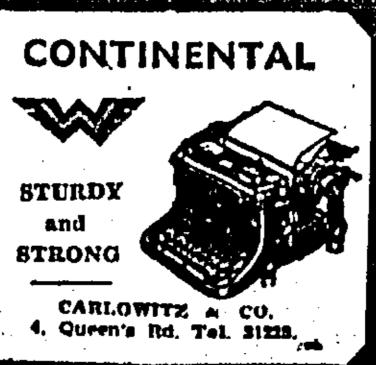
Attention was concentrated on the treatment of malignant conditions of An important advance in the the mouth, throat and upper air campaign against cancer may passages, and the Medical Research be announced in the report on Council have recorded from time to their first four years' work to ing with encouraging results.

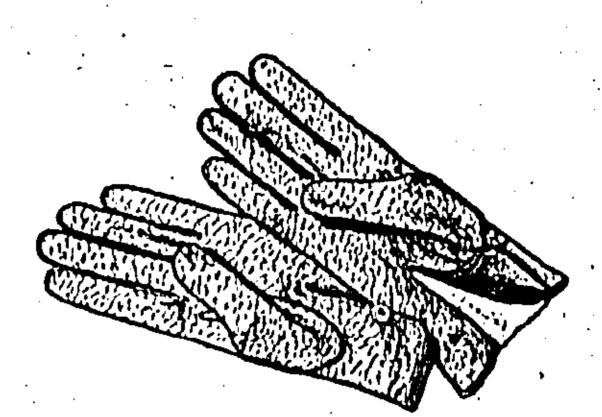
EUROPEAN MISSING

Kowloon Dock

Charles Christian, aged about 00,

physicist, who installed the original heard of since. His clothes and A search in the vicinity and in-They have worked in co-operation quirles by the police have been fruilless.





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WHAT A FINISH!-The poor chap in the middle is having a tough time getting through. The finish of one of the boys' races at the Children's Annual Sports held at the Kowloon Cricket Club on New Year's Day.-Photo by A. A. Kahn.

ARMSTRONG

Los Angeles, Dec. 23.

'alo puncher."

oot give a fight

"Homicide" Henry Armstrong re-

vealed to-day why he caused the

postponement of his bout with

Ceferino Garcia of the Philippines

the over before. When he got back

to the pavillon, he maintained that

the ball was outside the leg stump

at the time It hit his pads, and

muttered something to the effect that

the umpire did not know what he

All these would not have arisen if the

played during the present season, junior teams seem to be fairly evenly-

snooker?" I have elicited the offi-

He agrees that the maximum oos-

and all colours up to the black.

committed a foul and left the next

recognise it as a record break of

INO settle another argument. all

made on standard-size tables. The

difference in pocket aperture be-tween the official standard table and

some club tables is often quite small.

but an eighth of an inch can make a

vast difference to a first-class pro-

Joe Davis's new world's record of

138, made recently was accomplished

on a standard table, and the table

has already been officially measured.

WALTER Hagen, four times win-

title, does not intend to retire until

he has had at least one more shot at

At the age of 46 the famous Amer-

he will keenly intleipating a trip to

golfing career, 'ndded that all he hoped for was a "break" in the

weather. "I'm bound to get one be-

ner of the British Open Golf

One More Attempt

the championship.

Britain next year.

Standard

FALL WAS

||BIG HOAX

Nov. 2 to Nov. 25.

There Here And "Abe"— With

Better Umpires Needed For Junior Cricket

good a time as other to bring up a to take charge of a match know that would satis point in connection with cricket something about the laws of the a couple of good wome in the Colony to which game. A little pain taken in this of several witness..." to cause post- the States would be £2,000 clear," sufficient attention, I feel, has never matter at the start might save a great ponement of the bout.—United Press. he says. been paid. I refer to the question of deal of embarrassment and even unumpires for our League matches, pleasantness later on. It is all very While many senior teams take the well to say that an umpire's decision trouble to bring along their own is final, but when one is given out umpires, few junior sides do; and by an umpire who obviously does not consequently the choice of officials in know much about the laws of cricket, junior games generally depends upon one cannot help doubting the correctwho is present on the ground when ness of the decision. an innings commences or what players are available to officiate—a Queer Decisions haphazard procedure which should not be allowed to continue in impew cricketers not playing in but in the next over from the same things are moving for him, his income
portant matches. Everyone will apJunior cricket in the Colony end, the umpire was seen frantically is going to make a further upward preciate that it would be most realise how poor the standard of signalling a wide after the batsman jump. difficult for the League to supply umpiring is. Only this season I have had hit the ball! The umpire was umpires for every match; but at the same time, it is equally obvious to given by umpires who obviously anybody who knows anything about the standard of umplring in local junior games that something should be done in the matter. It is only fair to both batsmen and bowlers the umpire's gown were for! This the umpire's gown were for! This same "umpire's knew nothing else cricketers have to contend with here. that greater discrimination be shown in the selection of umpires where

Captain's Duty

points are at stake.

With the Junior League matches their own umpires or seeing with the Filipi knowing he

seen some very peculiar decisions hazy about the rules after all. knew very little about cricket. Worth The Trouble except "middle stump" when a batsman wanted his guard and was capthins had shown greater discompletely mystified when "two-leg" crimination in the choice of umpires. was asked for. Subsequently he gave two men out leg-before-wicket played during the present season, while he was standing closer to midjunior teams seem to be fairly evenlyon than to the stumps! There was
matched and competition is certain so when he is invited to break into and elsewhere who do not another instance of an umpire who believe in the League system. But gave a man not out in the following tances, extra care should be taken American trip, he takes the attitude the fact remains that we have a circumstances. A batsman junped that decisions given are as fair as that decisions given are as fair as that decisions were this being so, it is only right that it ball also beat the wicket-keeper and this being so, it is only right that it ball also beat the wicket-keeper and be conducted properly. I am not was deflected to first slip, who be conducted properly. I am not was deflected to first slip, who allowed to affect the result of any allowed to affect the result of all allowed to affect the result of any allowed to affect the result of any allowed to affect the result of all all al suggesting that the League should promptly threw down the wicket with League game. To avoid this, come forth now and appoint two the batsman still out of his crease. captains ought to pay a little more umpires for every official game. Of An appeal, of course, was made and attention to the question of umpires. course, this would be the best step the umpire's verdict was "Not Out." The trouble is worth it. to take, and one of these days per- His reason: the ball was dead! hops we will see it done; but at the present moment the next best of ignorance of the rules which thing would be for the captains proved extremely umusing at the either to follow the foot-steps time to everyone except the batsman time to everyone except the batsman "What is a record break at of the senior skippers by having who had been given out l.b.w. only

At the Banquet held at the Guildhall, London, on Wednesday, Nov. 9th, 1938, Sir Frank Bowater, Lord Mayor, the following wines were served:—

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A HOLIDAY

As "The Pilgrim," our Hockey Correspondent, is on holiday, no Hockey Notes are being published to-day, nor for the next two Thursdays. "The Pilgrim's" next contribution will appear on Thursday, January 19.

Henry Cotton Asks £2,000 For Five Weeks' Golf Tour

(By Geoffrey Sumpson)

London, Nov. 25. WITH a new four-years contract with Ashridge Golf Club in his pocket, and the way clear for him to Although he had scored only 29 he travel abroad, Henry Cotton, the man of surprises, has had been very aggressive and hit given his fellow-professionals something else to bite on He is requesting a payment of £2,000 for his proposed five-weeks tour of America.

You can imagine them saying "What! £2,000 for five weeks. Why —that's £400 a week for playing golf. What a nerve he's got!"

Even the American P.G.A., who are now cabling Cotton offering to arrange a playing schedule for him, are liable to be surprised. In the The Negro welterweight and light- United States they are accustomed to weight champion said he knew he their sporting stars setting the pace was not in condition when he finish- in the matter of fees, but here is a ed training for the welter title bout Britisher out-stripping them all,

> Moreover, Our Henry wants his fans, he "took expenses paid. "I think a fair revy falls in front muneration for a five-weeks tour in

> > "I shall be losing money, anyway, by not taking part in the early Brilish tournaments-and then there's my work at Ashridge."

ENVIOUS EYES

There is no doubt that the spectacle | 11-1. was doing. His team-mates merely of Cotton pulling down £5,000 a year laughed, thinking that it was just the causes envious eyes to be east from complaint of a disgruntled batsman; certain quarters. And the way

> appearance at the London Coliseum A. Rumjahn 15-21; beat W. Fisher at £300 a week. It will be a and A. Ulrich 21-7; beat F. Castro and Rowan batted confidently. They straight-forward golf show. He is and O. el Arculli 21-12.

Money comes to him in other ways,

Do you blame him? I don't. And if some of those who are so ready to nttack his assessment of himself would only stop to think, they would realise that Henry Cotton is doing BOUT NOTrealise that Henry Cotton is doing a great deal to raise the standard of the golf professional.

The Cotton methods pay. Though cial views of Mr. J. C. Bisset, chair- not at present the open champion, man of the Billiards Association and he earns more than any of his con-

Control Council, writes Geoffrey temporaries. He owns a house which is 147, that being 15 reds, 15 blacks, towards those in search of his services he has evidently reached the "But it is just conceivable," he happy stage of being more or less

pointed out, "that a player might financially independent, score a break of 155. If one player And he is only 31.



Liout, Skelton, who has been in tine played by the Navy this season, repocially in the Triangular Tourna-

BADMINTON LEAGUE RESUMES

the Badminton League Inst evening.

F. H. Kwok and R. Beaven beat A. S. Bliss and J. Tomlinson 21-6, beat S. A. Broadbridge and F. H. Stokes 21-8, beat L. Gibson and S. Darby 21-10;

M. Smith and P. Wilson beat Bliss and D. Kwok and S. Newman beat Bliss and Tomlinson 21-11, beat Broadbridge and Stokes 21-19, beat Gibson and Darby

K. TONG v. V.R.C.

loon Tong "B" by 5 games to 4. In a short while he starts a stage Tong "B") lost to T. Xavier and S. two.

jahn 13-21; beat Fisher and Ulrich and Rowan 38. If you want to play a round with 21-13; beat Castro and Arcult 21-12. captains had shown greater dis- him at Ashridge it costs you £2, A. E. H. Castro and J. Tang (K. player, kept wickets after the tea crimination in the choice of umpires. though I believe he accommodates Tong "B") lost to Xavier and Rum- adjournment as Ames had a sore Judging by the results of matches with members at the cut rate of £1

BRADDOCK-HARVEY

New York, Dec. 30. Tex Sullivan, speaking on behalf of £5,000, and eight acres of land. He Joe Gould, manager of Jimmy Bradsible under all normal circumstances is heavily insured, and by his attitude dock, former world heavyweight ing whatsoever had been settled and nothing signed for the proposed contest between Jim Braddock and Len Harvey, the British champion.

> "We cabled yesterday," Mr. Sullivan added, "demanding £5,000, free of tax, three return tickets and all expenses."

Mr. Armand Vincent, well-known promoter, who is sponsoring the bout, s said to be consulting his Board of Directors to-day.

Earl's Court in London either on May everything but put the ball into the 10 or 11. 10 or 11.

It is Mr. Vincent's intention to former holder of the British title. ormer holder of the British title. commencement. In attempting to A sensation was caused when anclear, Minshull, the Gunners' goalnouncement of the bout was made in keeper, had the misfortune to knock London yesterday, as Braddock had the ball into the net when tackled by Hampshire defeated Sussex by 14 told the world of his retirement some months ago, after defeating Farr.— Reuter.

HOCKEY TEAM ANNOUNCED

Hongkong Hockey Club against told in the end. H.M.S. "Hermes" on the club ground at King's Park at 5 p.m. on Friday, Freer (2) for Slanley, and Saunders for the Brigade.

H. F. Shleids; L. F. Stokes, W. Schnabel: W Brown, H. J. D. Lowe Bidmead and I. P. Tamworth.

SECOND CRICKET TEST ENDS "THE PILGRIM" TAKES AT CAPE TOWN

After the failure of the M.C.C. to dismiss the remaining South African wickets before lunch yesterday, the Second Test, played at Cape Town, fizzled out into a tame draw.

In reply to the M.C.C. total of 559 for nine wickets declared, the South Africans made 286 in their first innings, and in the follow-on, they had scored 201 for two wickets when stumps were drawn.

Capetown, Jan. 4.

The weather was glorious to-day when a crowd of only 500 saw Balaskas and Nourse resume the batting. The wicket was wearing slightly at the ends and promised to assist the spin bowlers, whom Hammond brought into action important the spin bowlers. Hammond brought into action im-

Only one run had been added to the overnight score of 213 when Balaskas was caught at mid-off by Paynter off Verity's third over.

Verity, who had been bowling very accurately had an analysis at this stage of one wicket for four runs in seven overs, five of which were

Nourse reached his century in 242 minutes, including a six and nine fours. He then became most aggressive and sent several to the fence. At lunch the score was seven for 283, Nourse having compiled 120 and Melville, who was batting with a runner, 20.

A crowd of 600 saw the resumption of the game and early disaster for with the first ball Verity got Nourse leg before. The ball hit St. John's defeated St. Andrew's Nourse's toe and he started to run B. Mitchell, b Wright 42. "B" by 9-0 in the "B" Division of for a leg-bye but the umpire upheld P. G. Van Der Byl, c Valentine, b Verity's appeal. Nourse had batted for 266 minutes to gather his 120 E. A. Rowan, b Wright and had hit a six and 12 fours. A. D. Nourse, l.b.w., b Verity 120 Grand cutting and driving marked A. W. Briscoe, 1.b.w., b Goddard

> Melville was bowled by Verity for 23 and Gordon was stumped by X. Balaskas, c Paynter, b Verity 29 Ames from Goddard for a duck. A. Melville, b Verity 23 Africa followed on.

EARLY MISFORTUNE

The South Africans met with early misfortune in their second innings. Mitchell, who opened as usual with At Kowloon Tong last night, Van Der Byl, snicked the fourth ball Victoria Recreation Club beat Kow- of Farnes' second over, an out- Farmes 13 swinger, into the hands of Ames after N. A. E. Mackay and A. Chan (K. scoring only one run. The total was Goddard 38 15

> After this, however, Van Der Byl Verity hoisted the 50 after 60 minutes, and for 66: 2 (Rowan) for 79; 3 (Mitchell)

Glbb, the Yorkshire and Cambridge

hit five fours. The 100 went up after the South Nourse, not out African innings had been in progress for 97 minutes. Rowan also completed his 50, which had taken 103 minutes. At 149, a separation was effected, Fall of wickets:—1 (Mitc Van Der Byl having the misfortune 2; 2 (Van Der Byl) for 149. to hit down his wicket whilst playing Goddard. He had scored 87 runs in 139 minutes, his best shots being Farnes a six and nine fours. Rowan and Nourse continued Verlty 10

steadily until close of play, by which Wright time the South African total had risen Goddard 11 to 201.

Australians Reject M.C.C. Proposal

Melbourne, Dec. 29. The Cricket Board of Control to-day rejected the M.C.C.'s proposal to limit test matches in Australia to 30" hours. They welcomed, however, a suggestion to play fiveday matches against England.—

batted for three hours for his runs and hit seven fours. Nourse had, 19.

Scores:

1st Inns. 559 (for 9 decid.) S. AFRICA.—1ST INNS.

W. W. Wade, c Edrich, b Verity 10 The end came soon afterwards. A. B. C. Langton, I.b.w., b Goddard E. Q. Davies, not out

Total 286 Bowling Analysis

Extras

Fall of wickets:-1 (Van Der Byl) straight-forward golf show. He is and O. el Arculi 21-12.

expected to give a talk on golf technique and demonstrate different shots.

J. A. de V. Soares and J. Tsang (K. the score taken to 87 for one wicket. Tong "B") lost to Xavier and Rum
shots.

In the straight-forward golf show. He is and O. el Arculi 21-12.

at tea they were still together with the score taken to 87 for one wicket. Wade) for 176; 6 (Langton) for Van Der Byl had 47 to his name 177; 7 (Balaskas for 214, 8 (Nourse) for 283, 9 (Sordon) for 283, 10

(Melville) for 283. S. AFRICA-2ND INNS. Van Der Byl was aggressive and Mitchell, c Ames, b Farnes reached his 50 in 91 minutes, having | Van Der Byl, ht. wkt., b Goddard 87 Rowan, not out Bu Total (for 2 wkts.) 201 Fall of wickets:-- 1 (Mitchell) for BOWLING ANALYSIS

Hammond Rowan's share was 89. He had

Royal Scots-Win Junior Shield Soccer Match

In a re-arranged Junior Shield soccer match at Sookunpoo yesterday, the Royal Scots' second eleven only just managed to scrape through against their Third Division opponents, 24th Battery, R.A., by the only goal of the match.

As a matter of fact, the Gunners | to the superiority of the Stonecutters were unlucky to be eliminated from | team, for whom Ferris, Croft and the competion as they had more of Heap scored. the play than their opponents. How-The fight, if all arrangements work ever, they had only themselves to out satisfactorily, will take place at blume for not scoring goals; they did

The only goal scored in the match match the winner with Tommy Farr, came within five minutes of the

> On the whole, the same was a rather dull affair.

LEAGUE TIES

Stanley scored a comfortable victory at Happy Valley yesterday over 5th Brigade, R.A., in the "A" Section of the Third Division League by five goals to one. The game was The following team has been select- fast and interesting, but the superior home, lost to Dundee United by 4-1 ed to represent the "A" XI of the marksmanship of the Slanley team to-day.Reuter.

Scorers were Wooldridge (3) and

UNIVERSITY BEATEN

The Stonecutters W/S had little i The game were uninteresting owing at 5.30 p.m.

Easy Rugby Win For Hampshire London, Jan. 4.

Playing in the County Rugby Championship at Portsmouth to-day, points to nil.—Reuter.

EDINBURGH BEATEN ON OWN GROUND

London, Jan. 4. In the second division of the Scottish Football League, Edinburgh, at

A meeting of the Hongkong Foot-, ball Association Council will be held (Capt.) A. H. Pontius; G. D. Woolgar, difficulty in bealing the University in | in the Association's rooms, the Bank W. Spencer, E. F. A. Morgan, K. A. the "B" section by three goals to nil. of Canton, on Monday, January 9.

NANCY







FIRST-MINUTE SHOCK BEATS OXFORD

ANNUAL SOCCER MATCH RALLY BY THE LOSERS

By Norman Ackland

Oxford Univ. 3 Cambridge Univ.

London, Dec. 5. Oxford's fate was scaled in the inter-Varsity match at Dulwich when a miskick by Disney let Hollins through to score in the first minute.

By the time the Dark Blues had in a grand effort to save the match, recovered from this early shock they Scalord scored from a scramble in Cambridge were well on top at the with a great shot.

Oxford's defence never realised Hollins a few minutes later. the promise shown in earlier games | Subsequently both teams were ob-

Individually, Sturdy and Seaford put in some splendid work, but as a line the Oxford forwards did not compare with the Cambridge attack. Lomas, generally regarded as the cleverest Oxford forward, was poorly supported by his partner, Binch, and when he did get the ball could

CAMBRIDGE UNIV.: R. L. Lowcock (Repton, Emmanuel); P. E. Templar (Bradfield, Trinity), G. G. K. Parsons (London Univ., Cath.'s); N. W. Beeson (Maivern, Clore), W. R. Cliff-Hodges (Winchester, Trinity), D. F. Rowe (Manchester G.S., Downing); L. D. Hollins (Bablake, Downing), K. Goodyear (Paller, Gray's, Cath.'s), R. W. Lees (Stockton G.S., Cath.'s), E. S. Washington (Newcastle-under-Lyme, Queens'), A. F. Lindley (Ackworth, Emmanuel). ly supported by his partner, Binch, and when he did get the ball could seldom beat . Templer, who discovered how to stop him in last sea-

son's match—to drop back to cover instead of trying a deliberate tackle.

No praise could be too high for the cohesive work of the Cambridge forwards. Lees was the only one who did not score, but he was continually making clever openings for his colleagues, who snapped them up quickly.

These forwards got most support from Beeson, who played the game of his life at right-half, and the defenders, inspired by the captain, Templer, all rose to the occasion splendidly.

For some time after Hollins' surprise goal the Oxford defence was
There were ten entries. ped up a through pass from Beeson to add to the lead, and from Lind-ley's corner-kick Goodyear gathered the ball, steadled himself and, taking deliberate aim, shot cleverly through C. F. Bellamy (22), 3 up, won. J a crowd of players.

DARK BLUES' EFFORT

Three goals down after half an hour's play, Oxford's cause seemed K. Way, 95-24=71, won. There were lost, but the match became thrilling in the extreme when the whole team pulled every ounce out of themselves

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How glorious to be able to set-to with a will to your favourite delicacies, meal

announces yet another victim. And these | 28. The final to be arranged. are only a few of thousands of stomach sufferers—all so grateful for this relief. that they simply have to write. What about you? Are you always

scientific stomach remedy cleanses the system of poison, neutralises excess acid. Robertson v. Mrs. King. and soothes the inflamed stomach walls. And remember Maclean Brand Stomach Powder, taken in time, stops your The first round to be played by stomach trouble getting serious—for, as January 27; second round by you know, a neglected stomach may even | February 10; third round by February

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were three goals down, and though they afterwards provided most of the excitement by staging a grand rally, the terrific effort involved left length of the field and, cutting in them a tired, disjointed side, and brilliantly, gave Lowcock no chance

Directly after the interval Scaford It was a thrilling if not a classic equalised from Sturdy's pass, and for encounter, and the experiment of a few minutes Oxford appeared to playing the match on a Saturday on have mastered the situation. But an amateur club's ground was a they faltered, and Washington picked distinct success—there were 8,000 up a pass from Lees to give Camspectators, compared with a little bridge the lead again, and he scored

NEW YEAR GOLFING RESULTS

The following were the results of competitions played in the New Year Meeting of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club at Fanling:

Mixed Bogey Pool, New Course .--Col. and Miss King, 2 up, won. Bogey Par Pool, New Course.-H. J. Armstrong (16), 2 up, won. There

were twenty-two entries. Bogey Par Pool, Old Course.-L Stenersen (15), all square, won second prize on the last nine holes Medal Round, Old Course,-R. G.

LADIES TOURNAMENTS

Draw for Captain's Cup (1938)
And Club Championship

The draw for the Captain's Cup (1938) Competition of the Ladles Section, the Royal Hongkong Golf S. And S. Home

Club, resulted as follows: will to your favourite delicacies, meal Mrs. Hillier v. Mrs. Shewan; Mrs. Kowloon Tong "A" visited the of after-effects!

Mrs. Hillier v. Mrs. Shewan; Mrs. Kowloon Tong "A" visited the Kid Berg and Henry Armstrong for Sailors and Soldiers Home last night

pleasure will seem an impossible dream.
But you can make it come true—easily, inexpensively, safely, as the writers of these letters have done:

Miss Glendinning; Mrs. Williams v. Mrs. Morrison; Mrs. Stewart v. Mrs. Mundy; Mrs. Piercy v. Mrs. Mackenzie; Mrs. Woodward v. Mrs. "Now I can eat what I like," says one
—"My appetite normal again," cries another—"Able to eat anything," claims

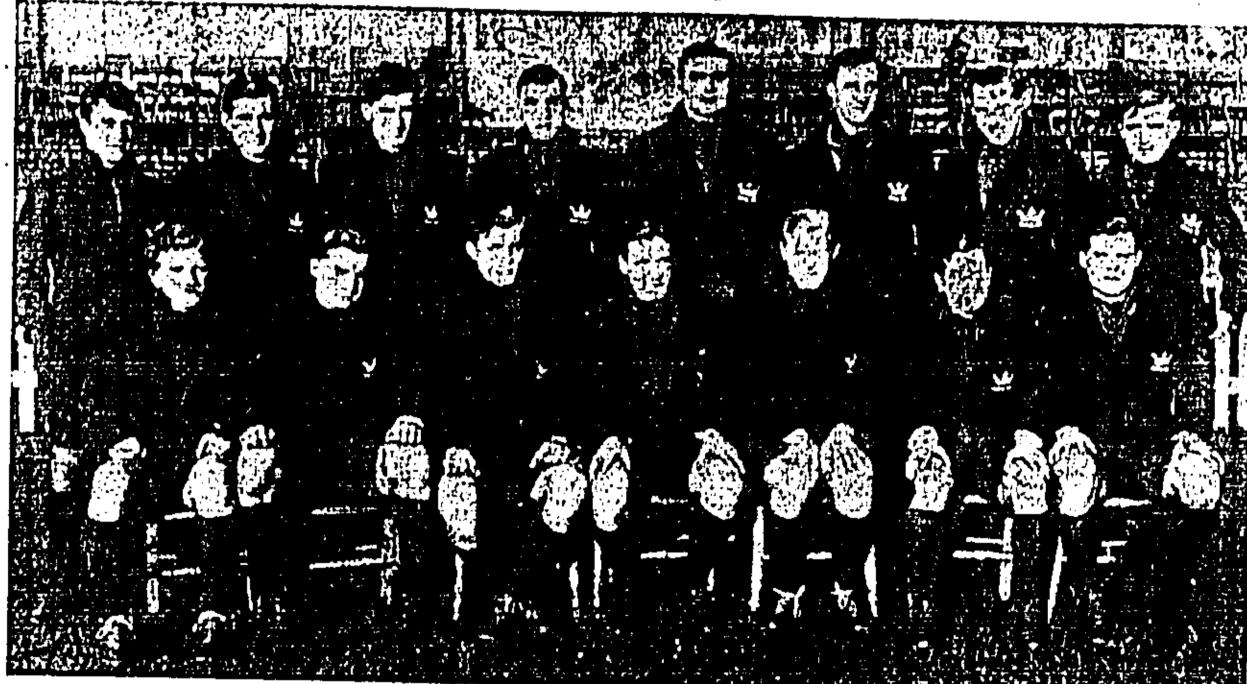
The 1st round to be played by a fee of \$1, will be resulted by a fee of \$1, will be r

a third—" First good meal for months," February 10; third round by February Club Championship Club Championship (1939):

ready for a meal at meal times? If not, Mrs. Whyte-Smith v. Mrs. Cassidy; Lo & P. Fleicher 12-21; lost to R. E. wait no longer. Take Maclean Brand Mrs. Hillier v. Mrs. Redmond; Mrs. Lee & F. S. Ko 8-21; lost to F. Stomach Powder. See how your appoint of the Comes back in full force as this Hopey W. Mrs. A. B. Thomson; Mrs. Tsang & J. Stephens 18-21. Henry v. Mrs. Lissaman; Mrs. Bye into 2nd Round: Mrs. Shewan

v. Mrs. Piercy. being you eventually to the operating |20. The final to be arranged.

Sydney, Jan. 4. Queensland beat New South Wales bridge, F. A. Dunnett, R. H. Griffiths, Scorers for the Navy were Stead, are now controlled by a joint comin the Sheffield Shield game by eight T. A. Madar, W. L. McKenzie, H. A. Sollis and Thomas, while Stewart mittee, have agreed in principle to



Above is the Oxford XV which lost to Cambridge at Twickenham recently in the annual inter-Univerof the term. Davies put tremendous viously feeling the effects of the sity rugger match. Left to right, at back: G. A. Hollis, H. Muller, I. W. Sutherland, T. J. Cowen, P. C. zest into his work at left-half, but terrifle pace maintained in the first Phillips, S. Pether, W. M. Jackson, T. R. Thomas, Scated: H. R. G. Percy, H. H. Pennington, R. M. Mar-



THE CAMBRIDGE XV-According to custom, only the new Blues are wearing their caps. Left to from A. E. Lissaman (3), also all right, at back: P. Sherrard, M. Dods, J. H. Steeds. Second row: K. I. Geddes, C. L. Newton-Thompson, P. A. R. Lindsay, F. J. Leishman, J. C. Swanson. Scated: T. R. Parry, J. G. S. Forrest, W. O. Chadwick (captain), R. B. Bruce-Lockhart, K. D. Downes. In front: J. Parsons, T. R. Juckes.

Kowloon Tong KID BERG Easily Beat

f after-effects!

v. Mrs. Whyte-Smith; Mrs. Collis v. and won by 8-1 in the "B" Division Miss Glendinning; Mrs. Williams v. of the Badminton League.

to F. Tsang & J. Stephens 5-21.

Cusack & Nicholson lost to Peter Lo & P. Fletcher 7-21; lost to R. E. The following is the draw for the Lee & F. S. Ko 6-21; beat F. Tsung & J. Stephens 25-22. Mrs. Mackenzie v. Mrs. Woodward; Griffiths & Manuel lost to Peter

Volunteer Cricket Team For Sunday

The following will represent the Inm on Sunday next at 2 p.m. sharp:
A. C. Beck (Capt.), R. M. Baxter,
F. A. Broadbridge, R. G. Broadthe interval.

TO FIGHT ARMSTRONG

the latter's world welter-weight title look very invourable," Frankie 16, and concluding on February 16 Jacobs, Berg's manager, told Reuter's or earlier if possible. New York Correspondent recently.

he saw no reason why Jack should the local press on January 14. not have a crack at the title.

get the fight, but that he will bent Colony. The semi-finals and final guns now, and he has got the right Court. bent Armstrong you have got to fight him at his own game."

BEAT CLUB

A Navy XV proved too strong for the Club "A" in a friendly rugger Volunteers v. University at Pokfu- game played on the Club ground yes-

chemist or store, write to Banker & Co., wickets. Queensland 200 and 279-2; Namak, E. M. L. Soares and A. Zim- got the Club's points late in the merge at the end of the present.

SQUASH TOURNEY TO BE HELD

It is proposed to hold a squash tournament commencing on January

Entries, which must be accompanied by a fee of \$1, will be re-Athletic Commission, and he told me and the draw will be published in

Mniches will be the best of five "I believe that he will not only be played on any courts in the will be played on the Club No. 1

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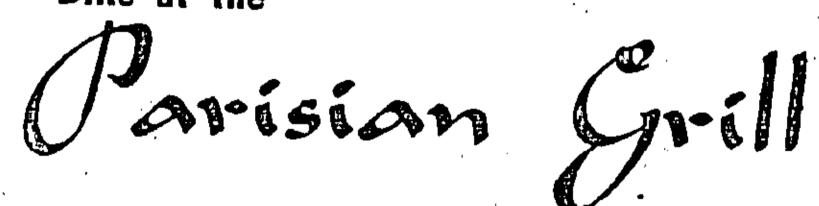
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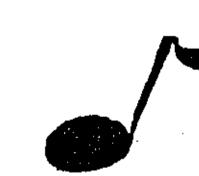
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Up to your neck in yokes

-they are the newest shoulder



Yokes appear on everything this year-coats, frocks, jerseys, and particularly blouses. They are becoming, make a shoulder fit well. This one is straight-forward - diagonal pin-tucks, carried right on over the sleeves, making a checkerboard yoke on a white satin blouse.



Deep circular tucks run from shoulder to shoulder of this burgundy red crepe blouse. (These rounded lines are good if you are slim.) The blouse is burgundy red, the stitching round the tucks pale cyclamen Stitched tucks on above-thecloow sleeves follow the same line as the yoke.



More dressy idea for an afternoon blouse. This is a heavy violet silk with full magyar sleeves, wide cuffed. It fastens up the front with a strip of deep crimson embroidery, and the same embroideru makes a scalloped yoke. The yoke is plain, the rest of the blouse panelled, with a seam running from each scallop.



Tailored cut on a jersey blouse. This has ragian sieeves, cut in on a slant to the neck. The pointed poke runs out on the shoulder, ends in a high stock neck-line, fastened with three buttons. Edges of the voke are stitched with a tinsel thread. Blouse fits tightly into a narrow waist.

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Beautiful Hands

UGLY hands will often spoil a pretty face. This may sound far-fetched, but it is true. They may quite possibly take the illusion out of a charming personality. Here, therefore, are a few hints on how to deal with hand troubles.

One of the commonest troubles is redness. This may be due either to bad circulation or to woefully bad washing and drying. Anyway, the following tips will help both causes. An invaluable exercise for the hands is to move all the fingers vigorously as if typing. Do it until the hands are tired, then rest and do some more. Incidentally, this also makes the hands supple, which is another beauty point to be aimed at. To vary the above exercise, tap the fingers briskly on a table, again as-if typing. This brings the blood to the hands and finger-tips.

If you feel that you are wasting your time in doing these things, then do them while you are listening-in to a wireless programme, or even reading. It is quite easy, and you can adopt the same time-saving procedure for any of the following ideas.

After Washing

As regards washing, lather and rub and wash the hands well to get all the dirt out, then wipe absolutely dry, rubbing briskly with the towel to get the blood moving. Then make it a habit to apply a little hand-lotion after each wash, to prevent roughness and wrinkles. Find a good feeding lotion and rub in energetically. Keep some lotion handy by both wash-basin and slak. If -your hands are in a very bad state. do the following as an extra treatment until they show improvement. Rub olive oil generously into fingers and hands, wipe off most of it, then wash well with a super-fatted soap and finish with hand-lotion.

In any case, and particularly if your hands show a tendency to scragginess, it is good to give the hands a periodical "feed." Use a good feeding cream and rub it in to every part of the hands. Wipe off most of it, put on some loose gloves. and go to bed like that.

For Large Knuckles

Protruding knuckles should have a somewhat similar treatment. Keeping each finger taut, rub some feeding cream into each knuckle. The best way is to hold each knuckle joint between finger and thumb of the other hand and to tap and press by opening and shutting the two gripping lingers.

and chilblains at bay.

Look to your nails also. If they are in bad condition, either liable to break or become ridged, soak them periodically in some hot olive oil. then wipe off only superfluous fat,

you wash your hands. We cannot all have naturally beautiful hands, but we can do much to help them in that direction.

Anne Morne



All these treatments, by the way, This puts a glossy skin on the linewill also help to keep rheumatism | leum and make it last much longer. Moisten blacklead with a few drops of ammonia and the grate or Arebars will acquire a brilliant and lasting pollsh.

them. This feeds and strengthens tion. Choose a soft duster, dip it in be stately and tall in a draped dress and over the gown is worn a dainty sleeves are long and tight-fitting. paraffin and hang up for two days made of some soft clinging material, small lace shoulder cape. Never forget to push the skin down before using. When solled wash out or you can adopt the corsetted walstat the base of the nail every time in hot soapy water and re-dip as line and wide, flared skirt which add

> To preserve and make delicate onions and boil in a pan till soft. range of materials and colours, and around the graceful neckline with them up. Mash down and bottle. Wipe the necklines have, perhaps, never been dark blue and finished with a huge When washing net or lace curtains paint with a soft cloth wrung out of so individualistic. There are high dark blue and pink bow on the add one tablespoonful of flour to the this solution and polish with a dry strapless shoulder line is stylish.

Evening

WARIETY is the spice of the new phasised waistline with a zipp-A paramn duster lifts dust and V evening gowns. You can look fastener down one side. On the makes woodwork shine in one opera- demurely Victorian in a crinoline, or corsuge is a cluster of pink roses, centuate the waistline, and the

There is practically no limit to the cyclamen pink dress is trimmed your, manicure set. This freshens

White shoo cream is excellent for which are of Paris, inspiration, is a charming abort-akirted dress in grey shake a Hitle boracle powder into the preserving and polishing skin or besitiful black grown similar to one jersey lame with a confine which makes them much more thank-bags.

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or you can adopt the corsetted waist-line and wide, flared skirt which add interest to many of the season's for instance, bright purple is effec- little shabby or rubbed, give them ovening fashious.

trapless shoulder line is stylish.
Among the new styles, most of Among the afternoon gowns is a After mending men's woollen socks.



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6-in (Prench) d-Avenue

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B-Amount given one
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48-Tending to except

twenties the worrying thought may crop up "what clothes shall 25 Pall in vigor 26 Maintained vigorounly
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American Dast This week I .am .. giving two general utility dresses that will put you right on top of the world, as 31 Prison cell 32—Olte confidence to they will carry you over your winter 35 -Spoiled beauty of 39 Served me standard

week-end visiting with the greatest desmaruskem to 40 Burnened 41-Part of graffs Kind of gem Begittiffna tricks When you are young you must Large vessel Behind in time needs study the pennies, so I have

rial that is just round about two shillings a yard, and yet is up to the minute of fashion. suse mink now attractive the frock on the left of the sketch, No.

modelled these frocks with mate-

WEEK-END away in the

winter makes a grand

break, but if you are in

your 'teens or early

1205, would look in velvot. An afternoon dress in this fabric looks good all the time; it is practical, yet has an expensive air. I suggest ring velvet for this.

For the fashionable redhead there is, a deep laurel green, sapphire blue, mulberry or black, The baby blonde-will-look-charming in sea blue, geranium red, dahlla or jade green.

Brunettes should choose claret red, dragonfly green or a golden brown. All sensible colours, you'll notice, that do not soil quickly. A simply cut and easy-to-make style with alternative sleeves, one fitting to wrist and the second

short and squared at shoulder. The bodice has the fashionable yoke line attractively eased, and a neat fitting skirt.

On the right is just the very frock, No. 1206, to wear under your cont if you are off for a spin in the car or for a Sunday morning walk in the and the pattern is marked for cutting

if you like a short sleeve. Glengarry checks are the latest news in patterned designs, and I have had this practical frock designed in this type of material.



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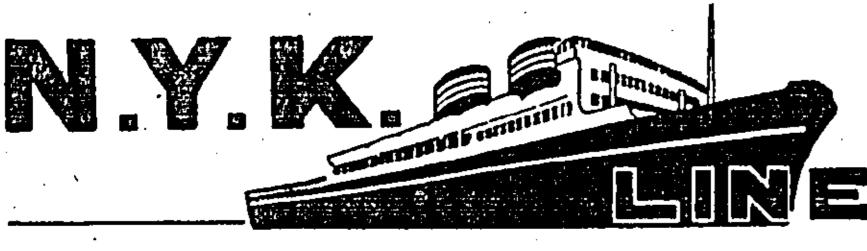
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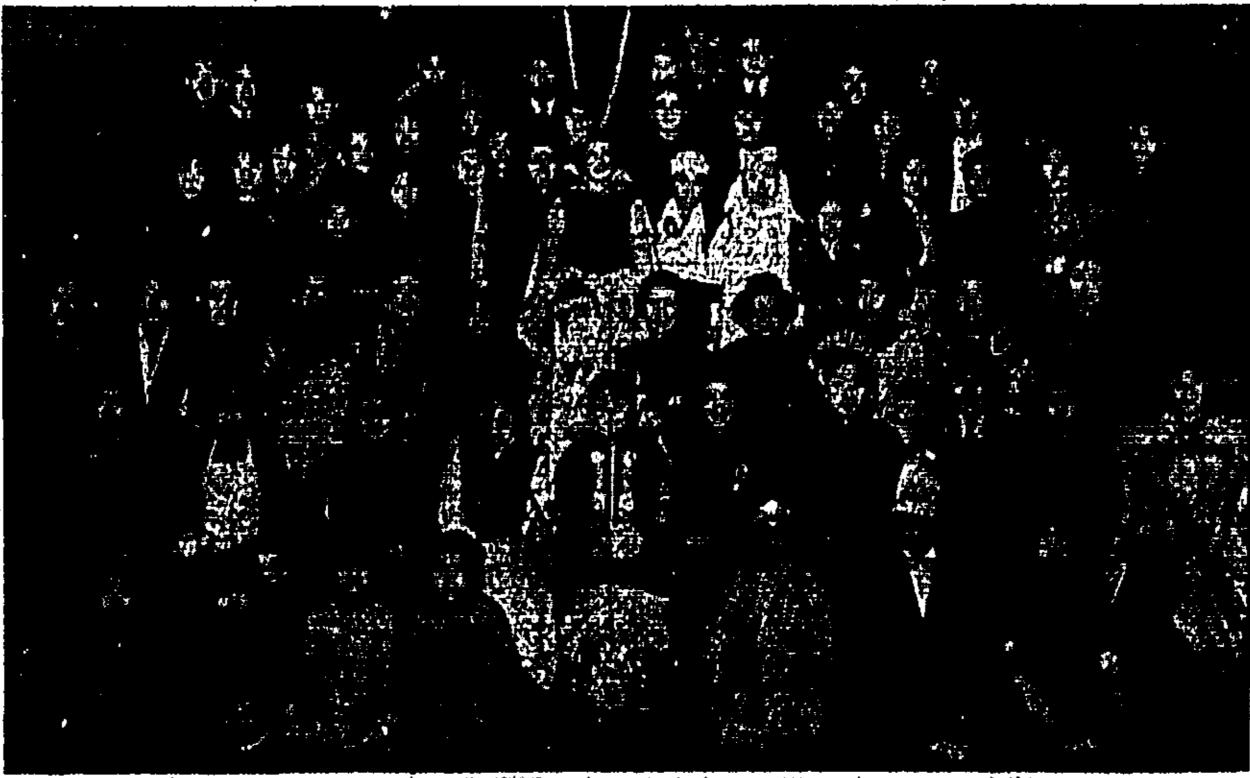
Group photograph of the H.M.S. Medway party who gathered at the Hongkong Hotel recently.



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Group photograph taken at the Police Recreation Club on New Year's Day.—Mee Cheung.



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"We have learned that there can be Section, Badminton all day. no prosperity except when general peace

might have been hoped.

"I said a year ago that we must use

"As we enter 1939 it is necessary to repeat this warning. Recovery of the business activities of this country will pravationing depend on peace abroad and wise avoidance of waste at home.

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Tuesday, Jan. 10: Women's Section, charity sewing bee at 10 a.m.: tive and commercial activities which badminton at 8 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 11: Women's Thursday, Jan. 12: Women's Section, competitive games morning at 10 n.m.

caution in forecasting any important Friday, Jan. 13: Women's Sec-improvement in business conditions in tion, Bridge Class and Practice Play Friday, Jan. 13: Women's Sec-1938. The warning has been justified. at 10 a.m.; badminton at 8.30 p.m.

operations are conducted by the army of employees which serves this great organization. Never were loyalty and efficiency more needed and never have they been shown more fully.

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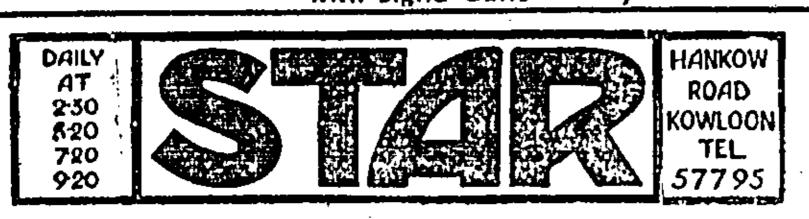
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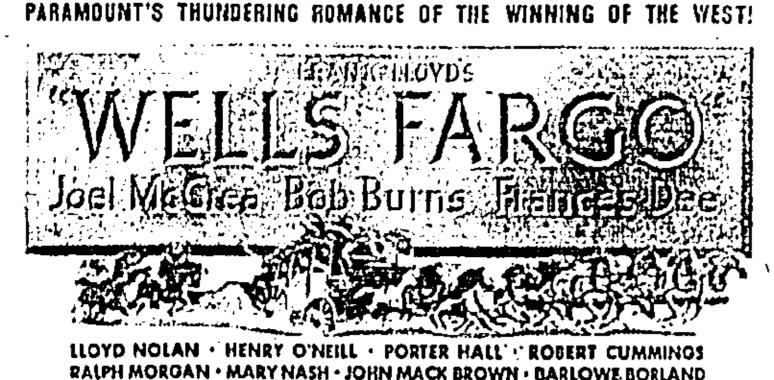
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woman struggling in the water, ment, which a gale was driving in huge waves against the sea wall. Ende pulled off his thigh boots, tled a rope round his waist, and tion.-Central News. jumped over the wall into the

He reached the woman, grasped her, and fought his way back to the steps.

breakers.

was injured.

WITNESSES' TRIBUTE Cunningham then jumped into the sea and helped Eade and the woman, who was unconscious, to the shore. Leathley, aged 57, of Pella, St. Annes-on-Sea, a patient in a nursing home here.

"Eade jumped into the jaws of death," an eye-witness said. "He ran the double danger of being drowned and being battered to pieces against the wall."

ROOSEVELT SPEECH REACTIONS

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public believe that American homes were endangered.—United Press. GERMAN REACTIONS TO SPEECH

Berlin, Jan. 4. observed: "Privately, we are dis- stamp Assembly. appointed in President Roosevelt's j was: "We are not surprised. The speech was in the same tone us previous statements by President Ministry to last long. Roosevelt and other Government officials."

by all Germans with radio sets in Tokyo. We fight on just the same, Kao Li-hua, editor of the Pacific powerful enough to listen-in to the but it is possible that a more extreme Digest. The witnesses were Mrs. Llu London relay. The newspapers carried no pre-

vious announcement regarding the address.—United Press.

LONDON MARKET BOOMS

London, Jan. 4. The unofficial street stock market boomed optimistically to-day as a result of President Roosevely's eagerly-awaited address. Trans-Atlantics moved up substantially, while Chrysler Motors gained, as did U.S. Sleel.-United Press.

Classics Read By Younger Generation

A lively controversy has been aroused in the Press by statements by Sir D'Arey Thompson, Professor of natural history at St. Andrews, and Sir Charles Grant Robinson, Principal of Birmingham University, suggesting that the younger generation of students are unacquainted situation in East Asia as well as with the classics of English literature. to replenish and perfect armament. The Times to-day publishes the opinions of a number of librarians whose evidence, while not immediately relevant to the complaints of the eminent university teachers, do mobilisation of the nation be solidified at least conflict with any idea of a and the Planning Board of the general decline of public interest in Cabinet be strengthened. the literary masterpieces of other times. In the case of Swift's nation be expanded to a degree. "Gulliver's Travels"-one of the books mentioned in Sir D'Arcy anallon be enhanced. Thompson's indictment-copies in the lending library of one London Domei. borough have each been borrowed more than 50 times in the past year while at Croydon it was reported to be in steady and constant demand.

A short time ago the man, George McGowan, received by post from a man he had met in Paris a packet of cocaine, who suggested he should sell it and keep anything over £20.

For more than a week McGowan wandered about miserably, wondering what to do, the packet "burning a hole in his pocket."

At last he showed it to a man in yip of Connaught Road West, while the West End, and was arrested it was parked in Hill Road on Tuesalmost at once.

Magistrate Sir Rollo Graham-Campbell bound McGowan over,

Man"

Houston, Tex. "Extra-curricular" activities of W. C. (Bill). Fleet has made him a popular bus driver. He wakes early risers gains

"POLITICAL COLLAPSE," SAY PAPERS

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not help solve the conflicting issues now confronted by Japan. These include the enlargement of military operations in China vs. Japan's stringent financial conditions, the during the crisis was the subject of domination of China vs. the readjust-n statement by Sir John Anderson, ment of relation with foreign Powers, Lord Privy Seal, in the Commons the cessation of hostilities vs. the up- recently. set of peace and order in China, the A standard plan, with general development of China's economic re-specification and bill of quantities, sources vs. the shortage of Japan's had been prepared, he said, and he own financial resources, and the all local authorities so that they could the rapprochement with Britain and proceed at once. America.

The hero was William Eade. He the greatest blow to the Konoye would rank for a grant. and William Cunningham were Cabinet which precipitated its reworking on sea defence work at signation was the pressure of the Pakefield, Lowestoft, when they Anglo-American united front and held up throughout the country pendheard cries for help, and saw a the miscarriage of the peace moveling the Government's decision.

> The resignation of the Cabinet refleeted Japan's present adverse milltary, diplomatic and domestic situa-

LONDON COMMENTS

Time after time he was dashed Cabinet under such headings as: gramme. against the wall, and one of his legs "Faseism Defeats Japanese Premier," but as yet there has been no editorial comment.

regret Prince Konoye's resignation, saying that on the whole he held the The woman was Mrs. Ethel balance fairly, and resisted the worst demands of the extreme militarists, especially after the fall of Hankow. Disappointment in the complete failure of his peace offer to China, by three Cabinet Ministers reto which he is believed to have pinned great hopes, was probably the last straw inducing Prince

Konoye to resign. Baron Hironuma, who is expeeted to succeed Prince Konoye, is described as an ultra nationalist of the most extreme type, unpopular in Japan,

Mr. Ikeda's disappearance is much regretted, as he is generally regarded as a most able Finance Minister, and anxiety is felt in London as to who will succeed him.

It is predicted that the two great Japanese political parties, the Stiyukai and Minseito, will fight violently, as they did in the autumn Official German reaction to Pre- of 1936 and the spring of 1937, sident Roosevelt's speech, many vital against the Army chiefs' plans for parts of which were directed against the formation of a new party on ringes, of Mr. Robert Frosch, chemist, Totalitarianism, cannot yet be as- Fascist lines, which, in effect,

It is thought that the political speech," while another comment parties will have the support of the Japanese people in this fight. Observers do not expect the new before Mr. T. J. Gould, Deputy

The speech was awaited eagerly no difference to us who is in power Linguan University, Canton, and Miss Japanese Government is better for Wan-ngok, and Mr. Tam Sul-tong. us, because it will hasten the chances of a popular revolt in Japan."--Reuter.

NEW CABINET OF FASCISTS IS ANNOUNCED.

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response to a call from Baron Camera." Hiranuma, visited the headquarters for the formation of the Cabinet at

While consenting to retain his post in the new Cabinet, General Itagaki, on behalf of the Army, it is understood, made the following requests to the Premier Designate:

(1) The policies for settling the China Incident which has been established as the result of the Imperial Conference, especially the principles for adjusting relations with China which were enunciated on December 22, should be pursued in toto by the new Cabinet.

(2) Efforts be made by the new Cabinet to establish plans for national defence in coping with the urgent situation in East Asia as well as (3) The relations between Japan. Germany and Italy be brought closer

and further strengthened. (4) The system for the general

(5) The productive capacity of the (6) The spirit and vigour of the (7) Foreign trade be promoted.—

MOTOR CAR STOLEN Disappears from Outside Majestic Theatre

Mr. W. R. E. Stevenson, of the Government Audit Department, reports that his car No. 4394 was stoler from outside the Majestic Theatre on Tucsday night.

THEFTS FROM CARS Clothing valued at \$76 was stoler from a ear belonging to Chiu Wang-

Sentence of three weeks' hard labour was imposed by Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Magistracy Bus Driver "Service employed, who plended guilty to charge of stealing an electric moto horn valued \$5 from car No. 1273 ir Tang Lung Street at 7.50 p.m. on Tuesday.

HOCKEY MATCH

with horn blasts so they can catch his . The Hongkong Hockey Club beat bus going back to town, takes care of the Navy 2-0 at King's Park yesterchildren for busy mothers, brings day. N. Whitley scored first for the ice from town, buys groceries and Club early in the first haif and S tips housewives to a shopping bar- Fowler increased the lead in the latter stages.

Standard Plan For A.R.P. Trenches

The future of A.R.P. trenches dug

If they carried out the work ac-The "Sing Tao Jih Pao" opines that cording to this plan expenditure The work of making the trenches

permanent and weatherproof has been Use of steel and concrete has been approved in the standard specification for making the shelters permanent.

Inquiries in the steel industry have been made and the Home Office has been assured that necessary supplies of corrugated, bituminised sheets and LONDON, Jan. 4. steel arches could be maintained The evening papers make a feature | without Interference with the steel of the resignation of the Japanese requirements of the rearmament pro-

> CHILDREN FIRST Government proposals for civilian

evacuation in time of war will put Japanese circles in London much the protection of children first. They are to be evacuated school by school, with their teachers, and plans are being devised to continue their education in the centres of safety where they will be accommodated,

This was the principal point made cently at a private conference which was attended by about 50 representatives of local authorities and teachers' organisations.

The Ministry of Health will be the executive department in charge of evacuation, and Mr. Falter Elliot, the Minister, has already appointed an "Evacuation Division."

The cost of evacuation will be a Government responsibility.

Social Items

The wedding took place on Tuesday at the Registry before Mr. T. J. Gould, Deputy Registrar of Marand Miss Erna Margarete Seldel, certained, but one unofficial source would reduce the Diet to a rubber who has been residing at the Kowloon Hotel. The witnesses were Dr. B. Adamezewski and Mr. H. Pieleke.

> The wedding took place yesterday Registrar of Marriages, at the Regis-Chinese opinion, expressed to try, between Mr. Tan Chun-lin, Pro-

> > .The Sunday School children of the Kowloon Union Church had a most enjoyable time yesterday afternoon, when a Christmas Party was held in the Church Hall. There were games and songs, and tea later in the after-

"A lecture will be given by Mr. A. L. Fisher in St. Andrew's Church Hall on Thursday, January 26, commencing at 9 p.m. His subject will be "Around the World with a Movle

Priest

CENTENCED to die in the electric Chnir at Cincinnati, Ohio, on Wednesday, Mrs. Anna Hahn offered her eyes to a blind priest or nun. Mrs. Hahn, who is 31, was convicted of poisoning Richard Wagner,

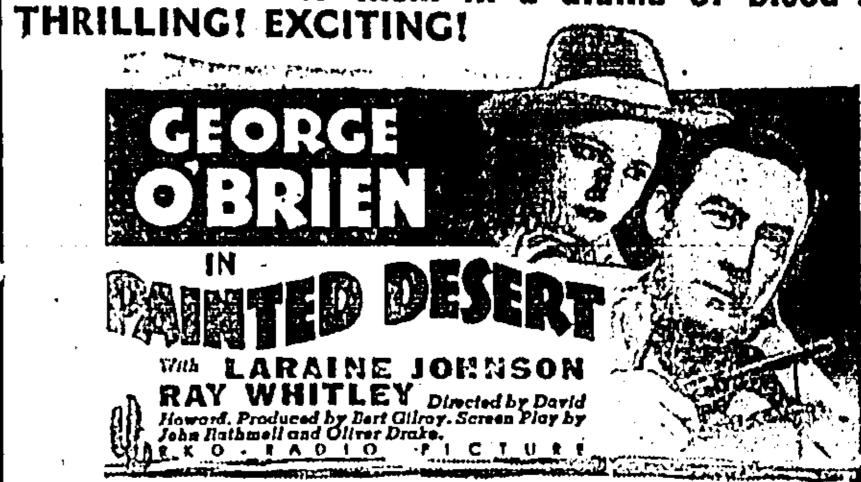
nged 78. The prosecution also linked her name with 11 other murders. SON PLEADS Mrs. Hahn's 15-years-old son,

Oscar, visited her in Ohio State Prison. He pleaded for five minutes with the Governor's secretary later for elemency for his mother.

LATE NEWS

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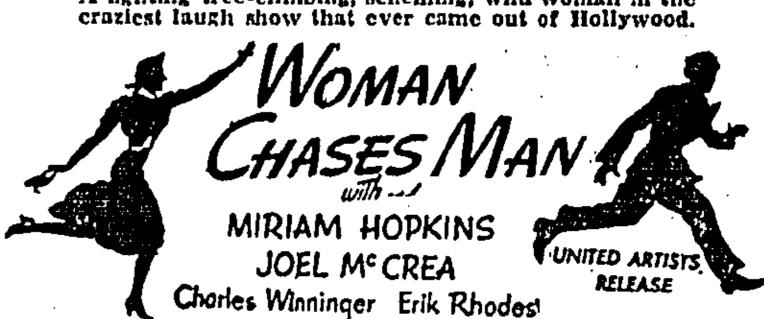
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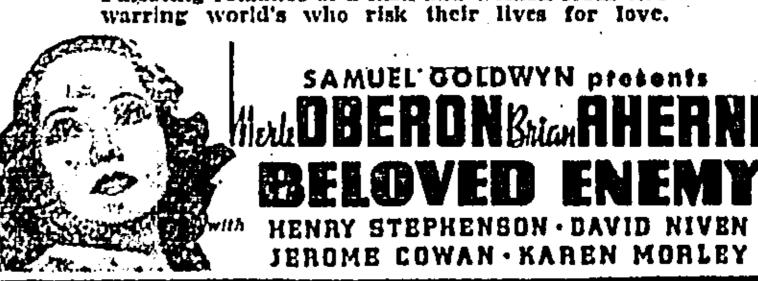
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married to a commercial traveller. No one saw her receive any callers. Few people ever saw her leave the flat.

In the ground-floor flat at No. 103 Mrs. Brown's landlady, Mrs. Landes, conducted a servants' registry. But she never heard a sound from Mrs. Brown. The floor was sound-proof. None of the five other people in the house ever heard anything

Then telegrams began to arrive for Mrs. Dolly Brown. Mrs. Landes tried to deliver them, but the door of the flat was locked. So eventually they sent for the police.

The police broke open the door of Mrs. Brown's flat. They found her dead in bed. In a cot beside her was her four months' old baby girl. She, too. was dead.

Doctors say that Mrs. Dolly Brown died five days ago, from natural They say that her baby died from starvation. She had cried for

her mother but no one had heard. And the pillow of her cot was stained with tears long since dry. --Printed and Published for the Proprietors by Frederick Prince Franklin.

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